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TURNING the TABLES on the SEATMATE KILLER!

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CHAPTER 6

EVERYTHING I'M HEARING IS JUST NOISE...

NOISE...

CHATTER

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Morning!

CHATTER

#19: Mina's Daily Routine

THE OLD MINA MIGHT HAVE BEEN FINE WITH THAT, BUT...

I'M ISOLATED FROM EVERYTHING AROUND ME.

I'M TOTALLY SCREWED, LOLZ~

MAN, I JUST CAN'T GET THE BLACK KNIGHT IN BEE & DRAGONS!

BUMP

I NEED TO WORK HARD AND MAKE FRIENDS TOO.

YUKIKUN HAS YUI TAKATSUKI NOW...

Uh oh...

...

HEY, YOU JUST HIT HER SEAT WITH YOUR ELBOW!

ANYWAY, I GOT THE BLACK KNIGHT WITH MY FIRST 10X ROLL...

WANNIT?

TOTALLYYYY, LOL.

HEEEEY... THAT HUUURT...

EEK!

SLEEPING BEAUTY?

DON'T WANT TO WAKE UP THE SLEEPING BEAUTY, DO YOU?

WHISPER WHISPER

CHATTER

A CHEERFUL PERSON WOULD PROBABLY RESPOND LIKE THAT TO A SITUATION LIKE THIS...

BUT I'M GLOOMY, SO I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO SIT HERE HUNCHED OVER THIS COLD DESK.

CHATTER

MAYBE THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR ME TO JOIN IN ON THE CONVERSATION?!

WELL, I DO HAVE A BLACK KNIGHT...

SO I EARNED MYSELF A WEIRD NAME...!

ALL I EVER DO IS PRETEND I'M ASLEEP,

FWIP

I DON'T BELIEVE IT...!

IS MAKING FRIENDS NO DIFFERENT FROM WAR?!

A MOMENT'S HESITATION CAN COST YOU YOUR LIFE...

SPLURT

OMG, LOL! LEMME SEE, ROFL.

YOOOO, LOL, I JUST GOT THE BLACK KNIGHT, LULZ.

THERE'S THE GIRL WHO SITS BESIDE ME.

URK

NOW'S YOUR CHANCE! CHOOSE THE 'MORNING GREETING' COMMAND!!

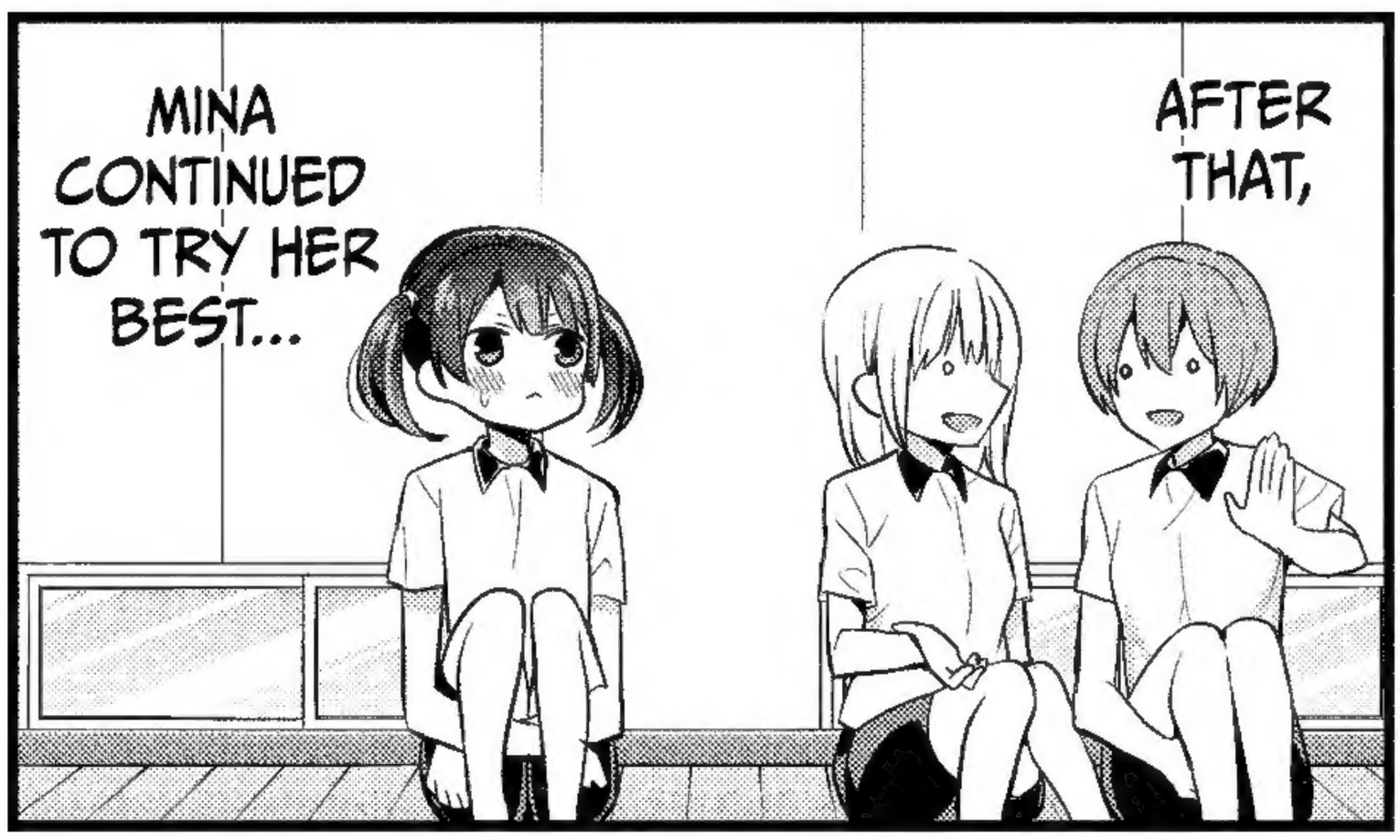
UH...

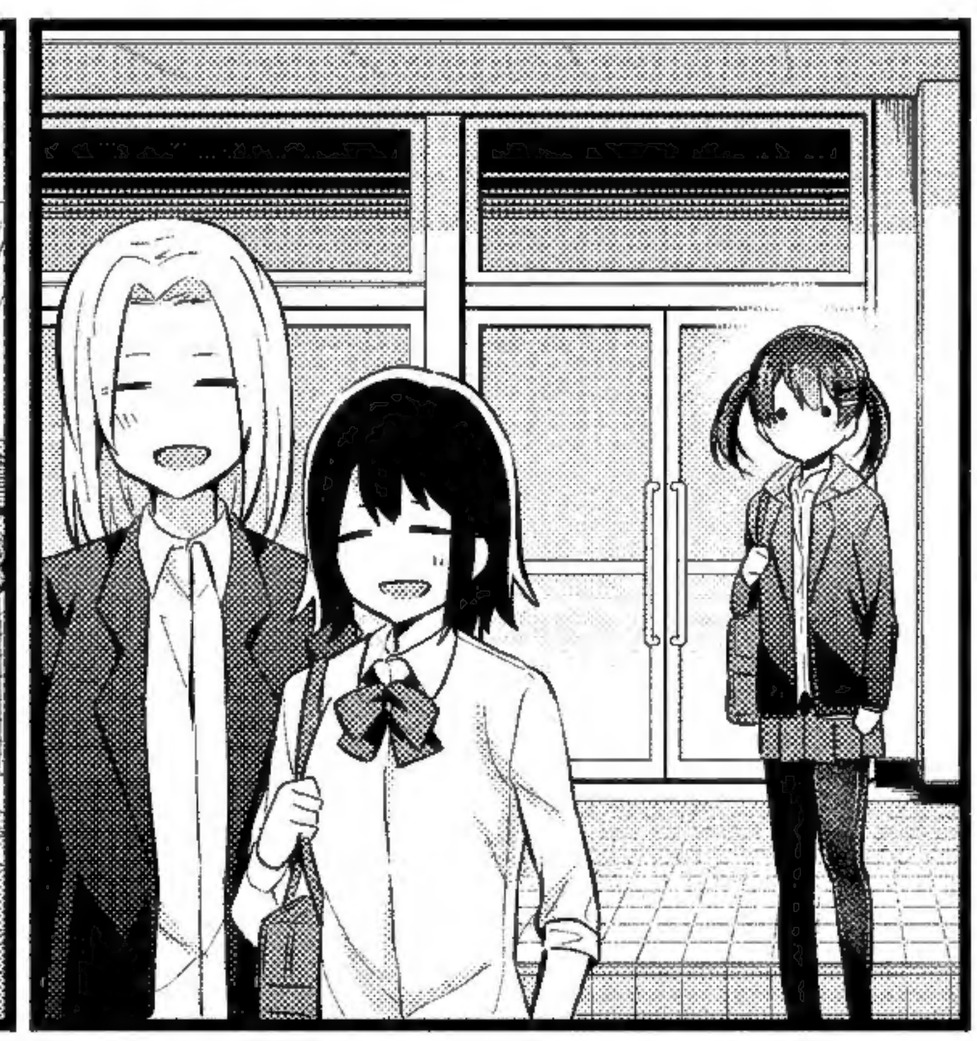
GOOD MORNING ...!!

AS FAR AS I KNOW, SHE'S MILD-MANNERED AND QUIET...

WOULD I BE BUGGING HER IF I TALKED TO HER?

GOOD MORNING!





MISSION FAILED!

DONK

I WASN'T ABLE TO DO ANYTHING...

Tiiing...

Pepper

I'M POWERLESS...

AT THIS RATE, I'M NEVER GOING TO BE ABLE TO SET A GOOD EXAMPLE FOR YUKIKUN!

...

Lunch

I CAN'T LET YUKIKUN WORRY ABOUT ME...

I NEED TO BECOME INDEPENDENT...

?

MINA... DID SOMETHING HAPPEN?

TWITCH

Pepper

YOU PLAYED IT YESTERDAY, DIDN'T YOU?

URK...

I WAS JUST THINKING HOW BAD I'VE GOTTEN AT THIS GAME.

YOU KNOW, SINCE IT'S BEEN SO LONG SINCE I LAST PLAYED IT...

I'M SUPER FINE...

Pepper

...I'M FINE, YUKIKUN!

Pat...

TEARY...

GOOD GIRL, GOOD GIRL...

IT'S OKAY.

RUB RUB

Lunch

Pepper

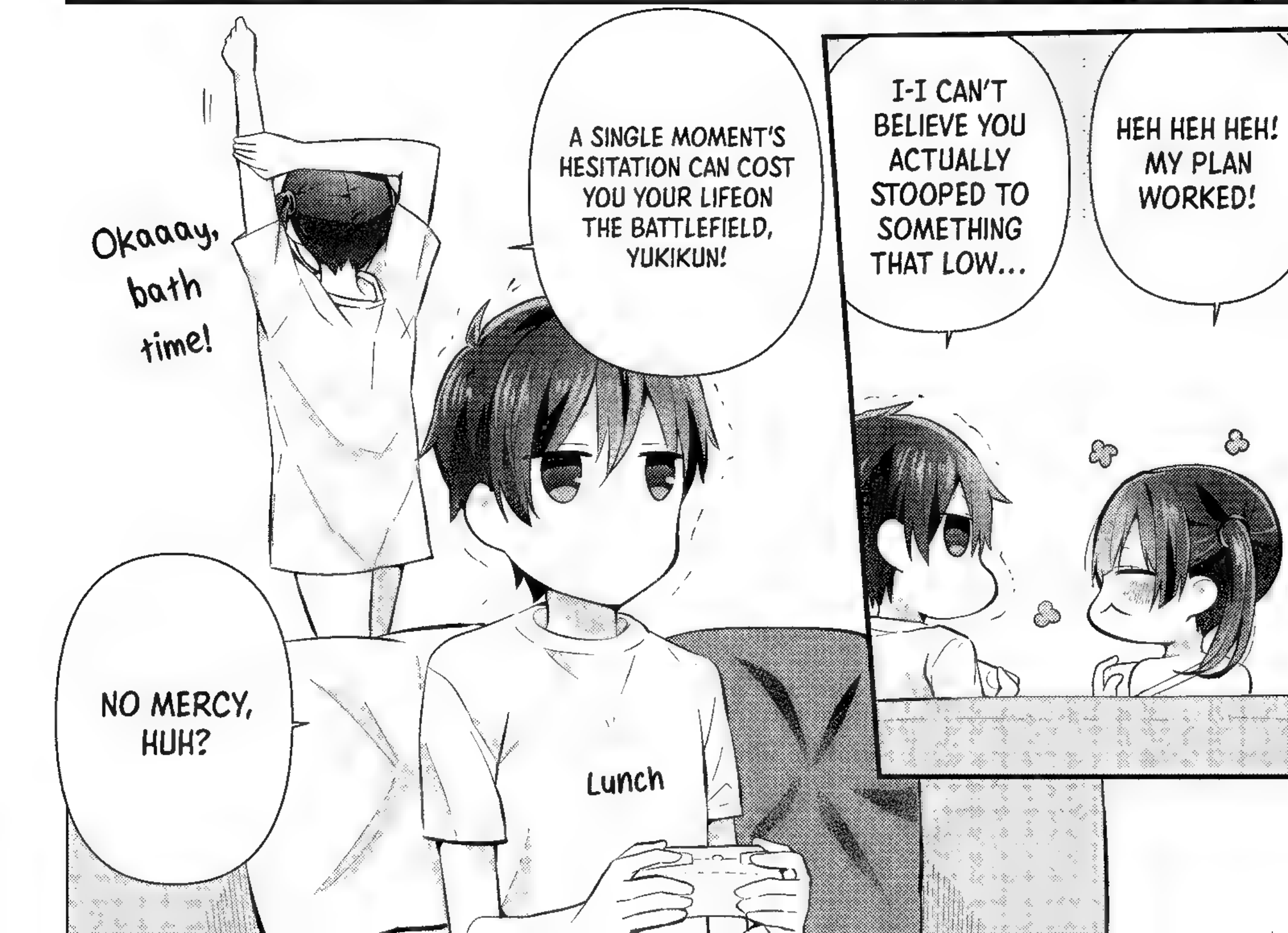
YUKIKUN.

PLAY THE GAME WITH ME...

K.O.

WH-WHAAAT?!

GOT YA!!

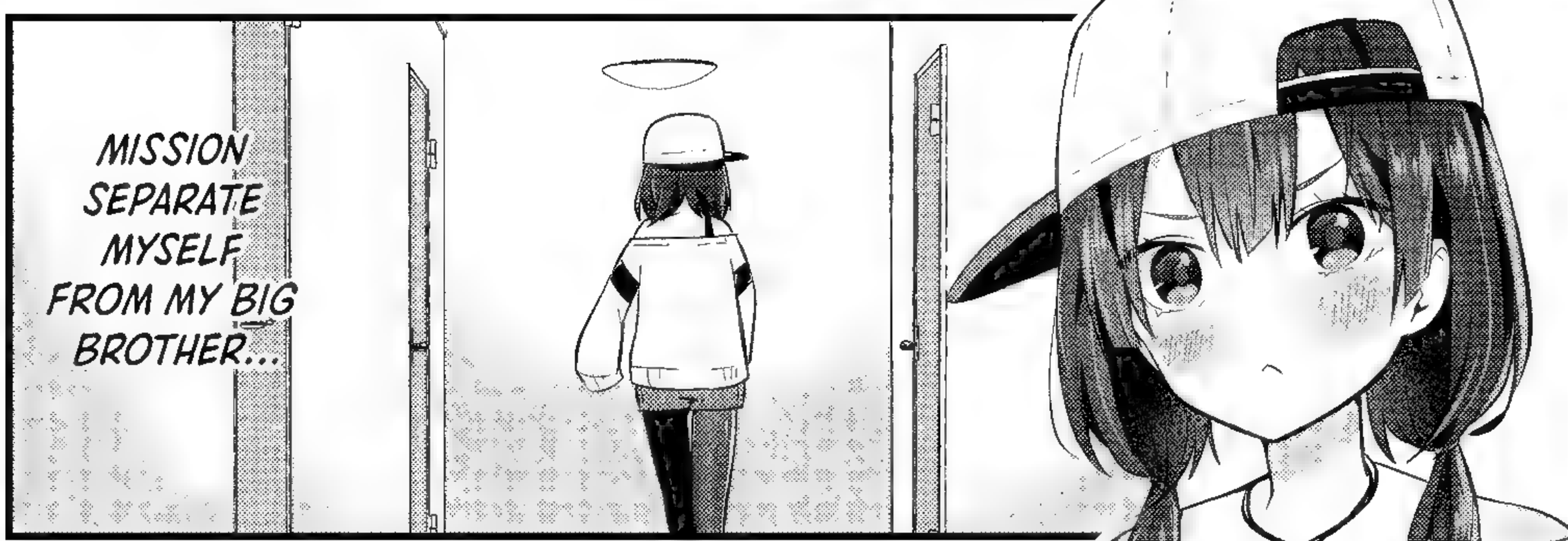


THAT'S RIGHT.

CLICK

Pepper

NO MERCY, YUKIKUN.



#20: Going Somewhere with Yukikun

I'M SURE IT'LL PROTECT ME FROM SCARY PEOPLE.
I'M WEARING THE HAT MOM GAVE ME...
Nnff
I ALWAYS GO TO SEE MOVIES WITH YUKIKUN,
SO THIS WILL BE A GOOD CHALLENGE FOR ME!
MISSION, START!!
GULP
OKAY...

WAAAAAAH!

SCRATCH SCRATCH

MINA!

Di ng

BY YOURSELF?

UH... TO A MOVIE.

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

YEAH...

YOU DON'T WANT ME TO COME WITH YOU?

YEAH... ACTUALLY, I DO...

UH...

DON'T YOU WANT TO HOLD HANDS LIKE USUAL, MINA?

NAKA

It's nice weather...

I ENDED UP HAVING HIM COME WITH ME...

FOR OUTINGS

She must be in her rebellious phase...

HMM... SHOULD I WALK FARTHER APART FROM YUKIKUN?

Ve ha ha ha...

AN OLDER WOMAN...?

I'M AN OLDER WOMAN NOW, IN CASE YOU HAVEN'T NOTICED!

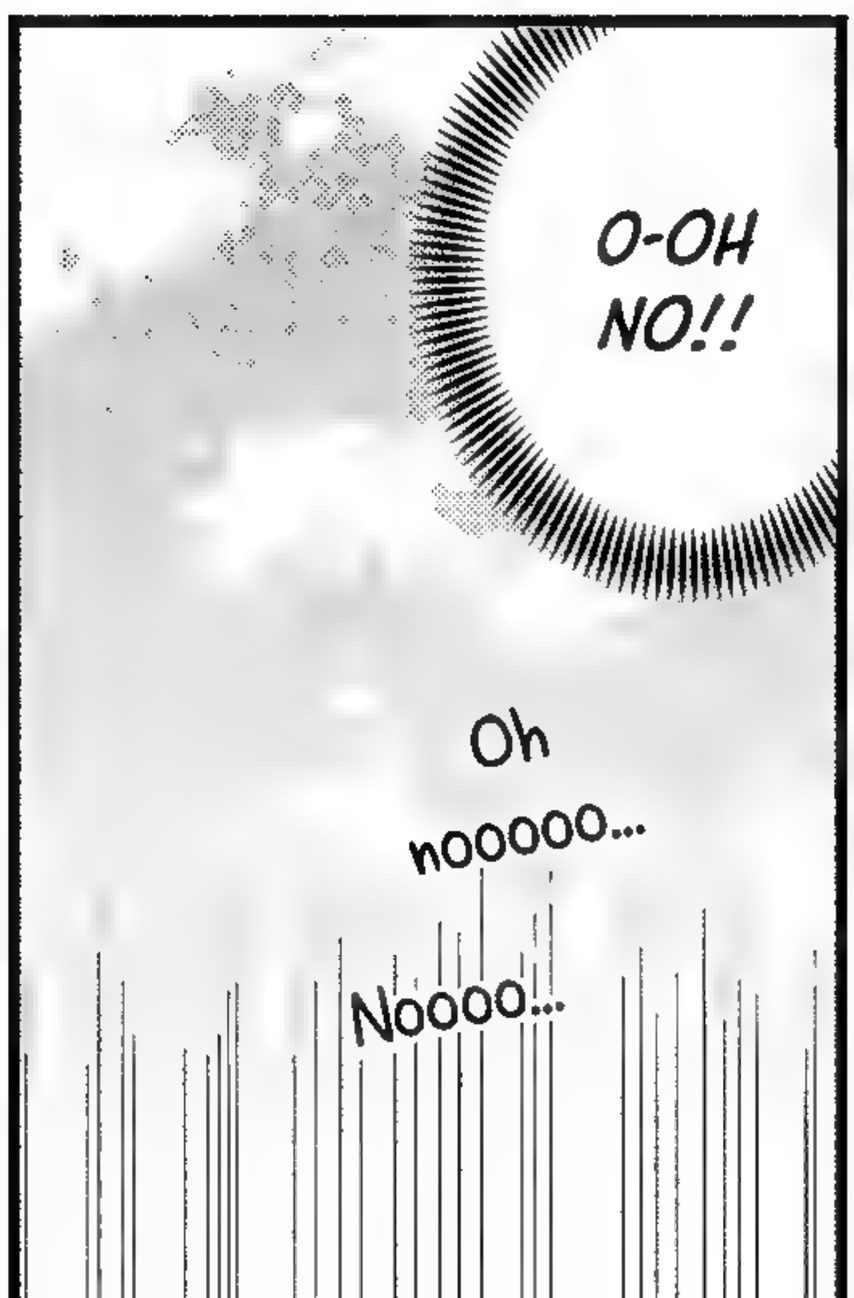
O-OF COURSE NOT!

GRRR

S-SCARY-LOOKING OLDER GUYS!
Eeek!

Brooo.
Wooo.
TWITCH

YUKIKUN...!!
CLING


O-OH NO!!
Oh nooooo...
Noooo...

MINA?
Ahh...

CINEMA

HOOO...

THAT WAS SO LONG, IT TIRED ME OUT...

Yaaaawn

FOR OUTINGS

ALL RIGHT, SEE YOU LATER.

OKAY, I'LL WAIT ON THE BENCH THEN.

YUKIKUN, I'M GONNA GO TO THE BATHROOM.

I WONDER WHAT'S WRONG?

BUT SHE'S BEEN ACTING WEIRD LATELY...

IT SEEMS LIKE THE MOVIE CHEERED HER UP A BIT,

She is getting to be around that age...

MAYBE I SHOULDN'T PRY INTO IT TOO MUCH...

MEANWHILE, AT THE EXACT SAME TIME AND LOCATION...

WAITING

KLAK

KLAK

Yeah, yeah

HUH... THAT'S...

And then, sis...

THE TATATSUKI SISTERS WERE ALSO AT THE MOVIE THEATER.

YUUKI-KUN

AT 12 O'CLOCK?!

HOT GUY

BA-DUMP

zoned out~

WAITING

WAIT, WHY'S HE ON THE BENCH?! IS HE WAITING FOR SOME-THING? SOMEONE? SOMESOME?

HE LOOKS SO OUT OF IT, JUST LIKE ALWAYS! AND I'M LOWKEY GETTING TO SEE HIM IN HIS NORMAL CLOTHES!

ACTING WEIRD BECAUSE SHE'S SO EXCITED

WHAT'S HE DOING HERE?

zoned out~

MAYBE WE EVEN SAW THE SAME MOVIE...

I REALLY WANT TO MAKE SURE HE DOESN'T NOTICE ME AS I PASS BY...!

I'M WITH MY BIG SISTER RIGHT NOW. I DON'T WANT HIM TO SEE ME...

I KNOW!

What...?

Let me borrow your shades!

I'm wearing casual clothes, too. Hmm...

WHAT'S WRONG, YUI?

URK

?

WHAT CHARACTER ARE YOU BEING NOW?!

KA KA BOOM

HAHAHA!★ JUST CALL ME YUILY, YO! ☆★ (FALSETTO)

BGM: Driver's high

YOU'RE MAKING THIS *REALLY* DIFFICULT!

CHECK IT OUT, YO. ★ (SUPER FALSETTO)

POINT ☆

WHAT GOT INTO YOU JUST NOW?!

THERE WASN'T A CHARACTER LIKE THAT IN THE MOVIE, WAS THERE?!

TIME TO CHECK-IT-OUT OVER TO THE EXIT...!

NICE! YUUKI-KUN WILL NEVER NOTICE ME NOW!

ARE YOU ON DRUGS OR SOME-THING?!

Talking over her name with check-it-outs.

CHECK IT OUT, CHECK IT OUT, CHECK IT OUT!! (ULTRA FALSETTO)

THAT REMINDS ME, YUI...

CHECK-IT-OUT! (EXTREME FALSETTO)

YO, I'M LIKE TOTALLY DOWN WITH SOME ITALIAN, AWRIGHT?★

STAARE

I WAS JUST ABOUT TO ASK YOU WHAT YOU WANTED TO GO EAT AFTER THIS...

HUH? DO YOU KNOW THAT GUY?

TWITCH

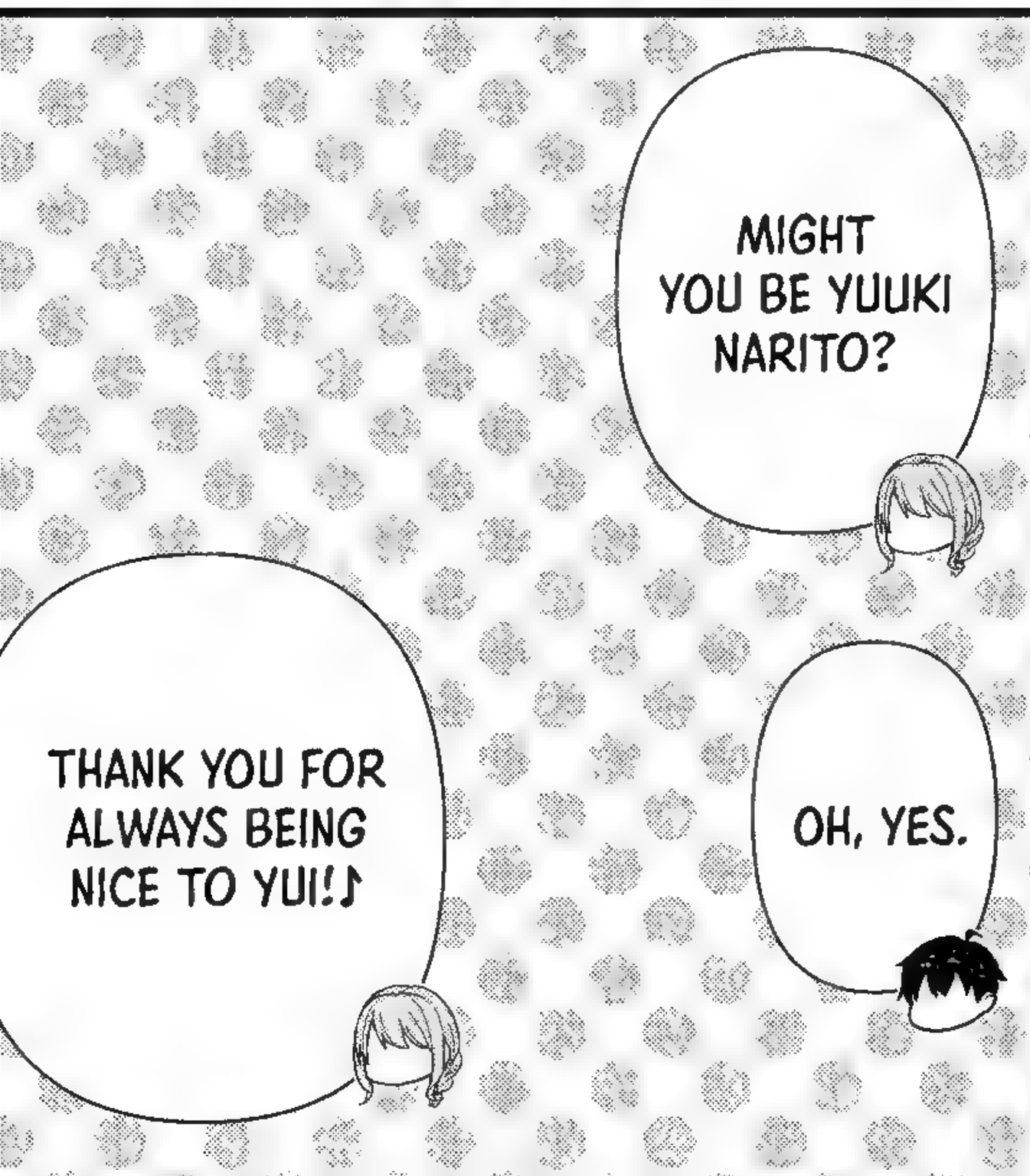
WHAT WAS THAT, CHECK-IT-OUT-YUI?

CHECK IT OUT?!

WHO CARES ABOUT THAT?! LET'S PARTAAAAAAY! ★☆ (FALSETTO)

YOU'RE STILL GOING ON WITH THAT?!

Yeeah...



WHA...?! NO I'M NOT, YO!!

SHE'S ONLY ACTING ODD BECAUSE SHE'S EMBARRASSED. ♡

...THE PHOTO SHE SENT ME YESTERDAY REALLY WAS CUTE, THOUGH...

BLUSH

AH... AHAHAH...

IT'S OKAY.

She's always like this...

Oh...

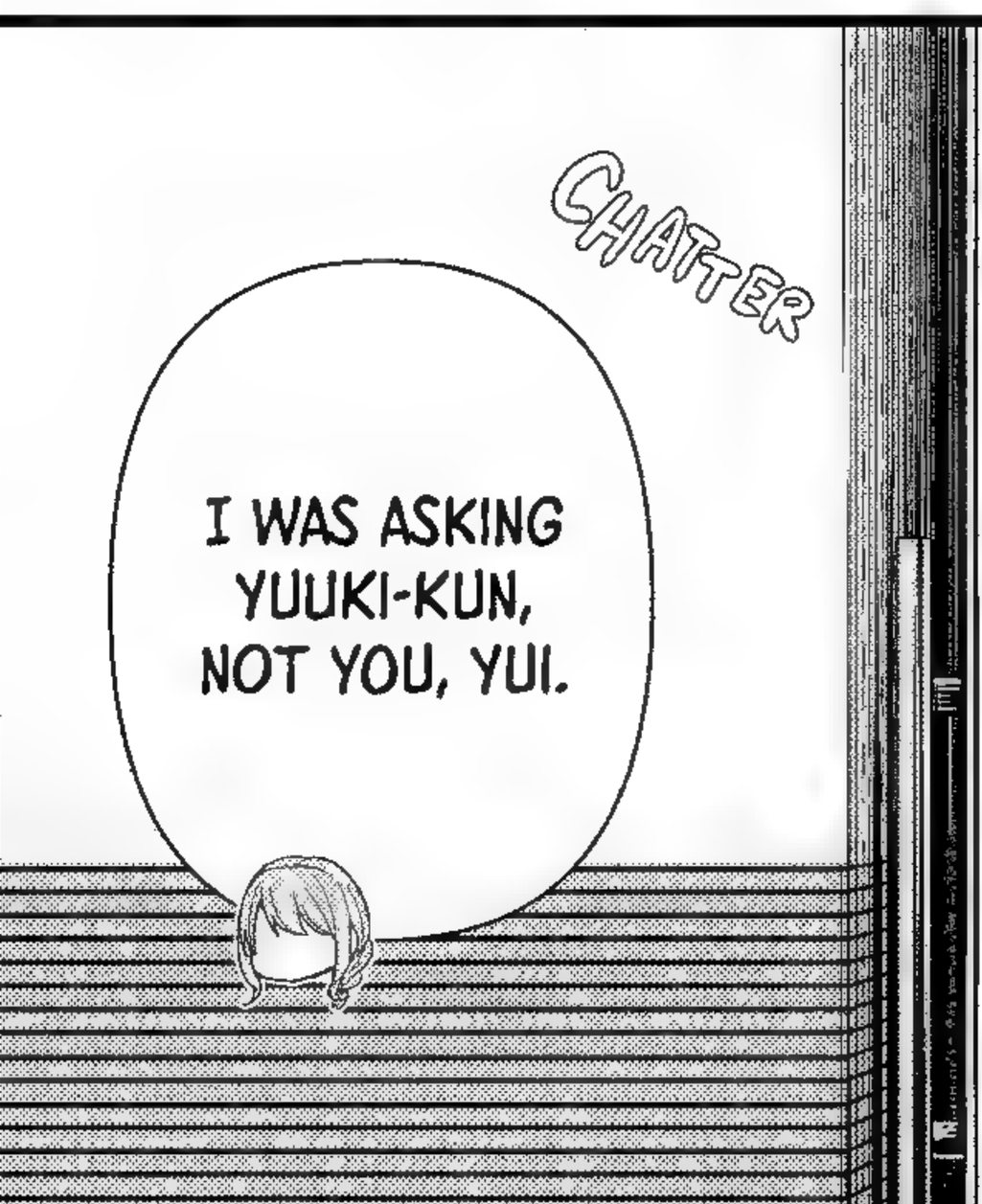
It was cute, huh...?

!

IT'S ON ME.♡
OH, THEN HOW ABOUT GOING TO GRAB A BITE TO EAT WITH US?
I ALREADY FINISHED SEEING MINE.
HUH?

NAH,
ARE YOU GOING TO SEE A MOVIE NOW, YUUKI-KUN?
FOR OUTINGS

UHHH...
YOU DON'T NEED TO WORRY ABOUT BEING POLITE!


CHATTER
I WAS ASKING YUUKI-KUN, NOT YOU, YUI.

WE'RE GONNA GO WITH SOME GRUB FROM ITALY, YO!
CHATTER

YUKIKUN GETTING CORNERED BY TWO WOMEN?!

I COME OUT OF THE BATHROOM, ONLY TO FIND...

CHECK IT OUT!!

POINT

A DANGEROUS CHECK-IT-OUT...!

AN OLDER LADY AND...

Japanese food? Chinese?

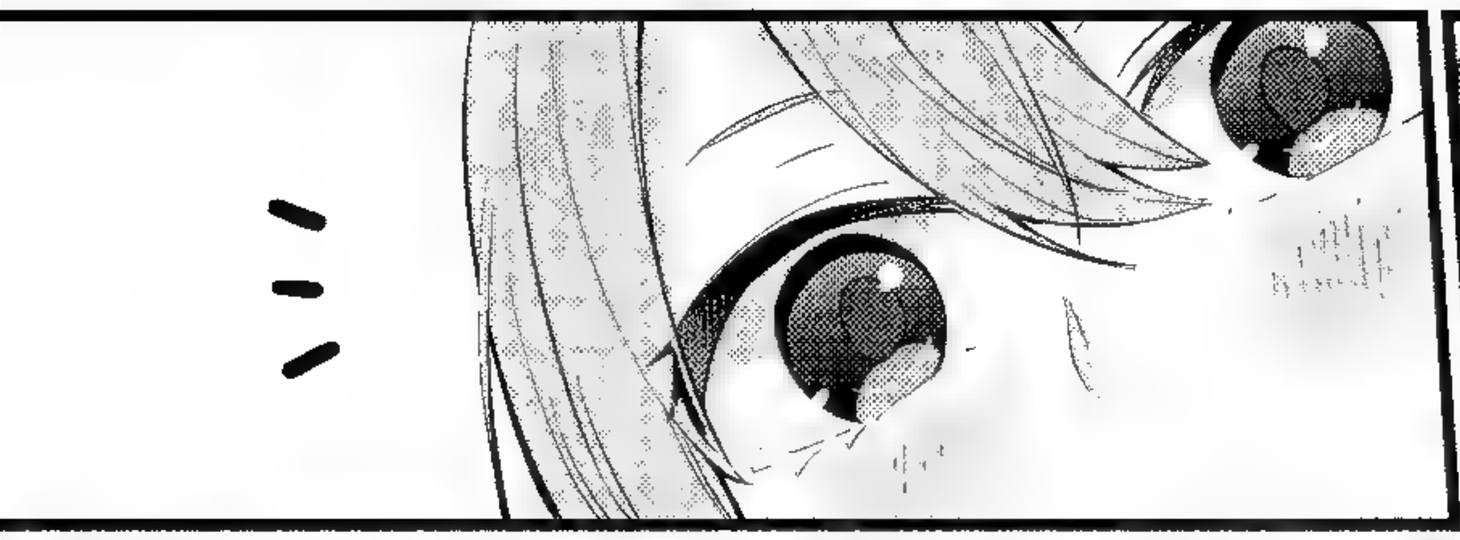
SAVE HIM...!

STOMP

I NEED TO...

BWAP

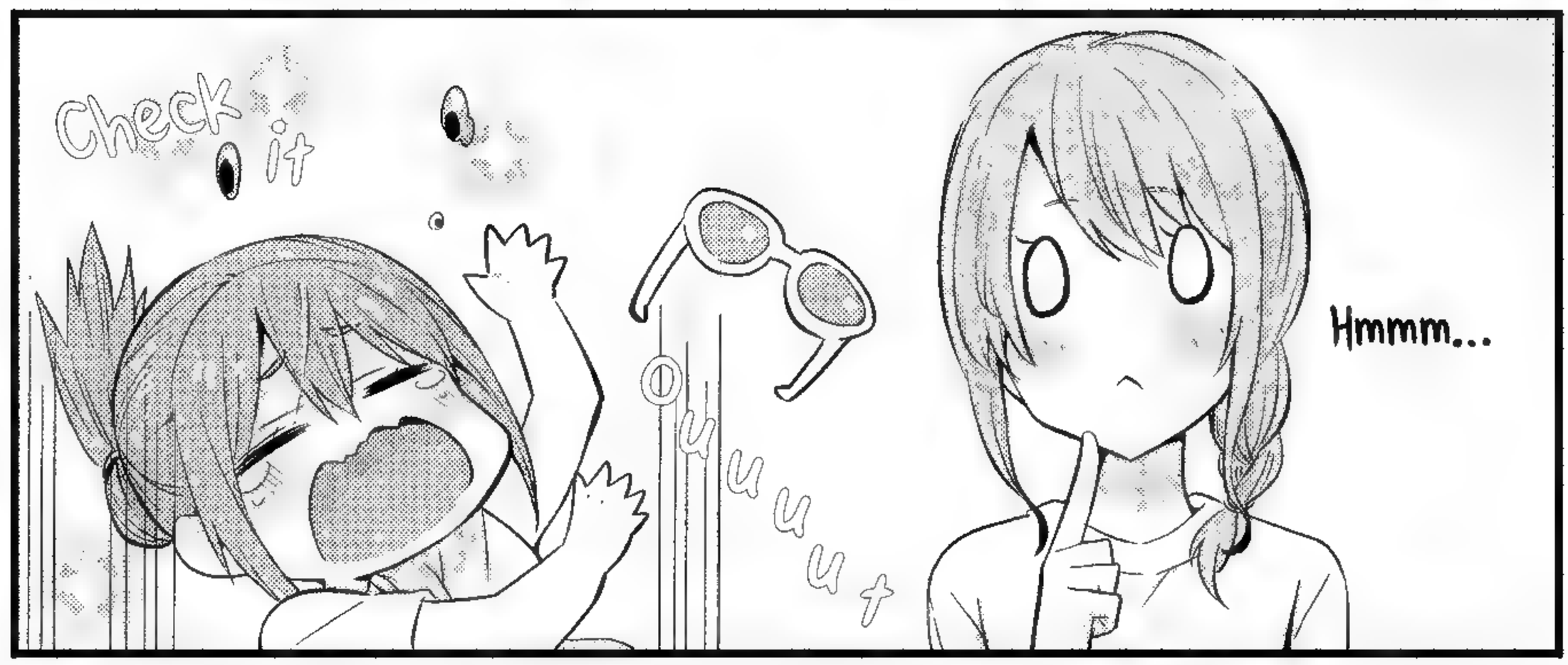
DON'T YOU DARE LAY A FINGER ON YUKIKUN!!



HUH...?

MIGHT YOU BE...

I'M YUKIKUN'S GIRL-FRIEND!!



ALCOHOL
Hitsujitani
MIKAWAYA
Pant
Pant

SHE WAS ESPECIALLY WEIRD TODAY, BUT YES.

AT HOME

WHAAAT ?!

THAT WAS YUI TAKATSUKI...?!

IT'S DINNER TIME, YUI!

HEEEEY!

SNIFF SNIFF...

#21: The Birth of a Talented Actress Named Yui

CHAPTER 7

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YUI, UM...

I WONDER WHAT HAP-PENED.
SHE'S BEEN LIKE THIS THE ENTIRE DAY...

HUH?
WHAT'S WRONG? DIDN'T GET ENOUGH SLEEP LAST NIGHT?

WHO WAS THAT GIRL YESTERDAY?!
YOU SAID YOU DIDN'T HAVE A GIRL-FRIEND...!!
WHAAA...

MUTTER

I KNOW WHAT THIS REALLY IS... IT'S THAT "MY BIG BROTHER'S MY BOYFRIEND ♡" THING THAT'S BEEN DONE OVER 10 MILLION TIMES IN 2D, RIGHT?!

I think you're misunderstanding something...

THAT WAS MY LITTLE SISTER.

WHAT ?!

WHAT SHOULD I DO ABOUT THIS...?

I know about these things!

MUTTER

MUTTER

I SHOULDN'T AGITATE HER TOO MUCH... I HEAR IT IN MY GHOST.

...IS WHAT I WANNA SAY, BUT...

ANYONE WOULD TRY TO MAKE UP AN EXCUSE AND RUN AFTER BEING APPROACHED BY THAT... THING...

Check-it-out!

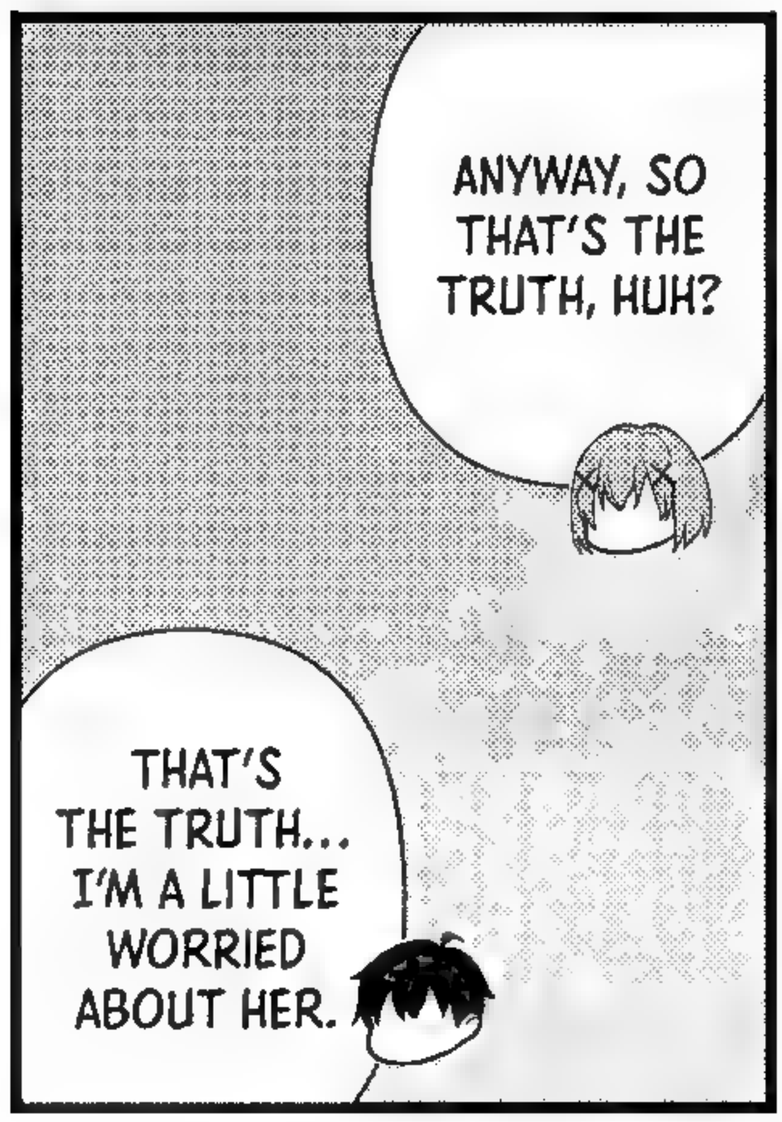
CROSSING

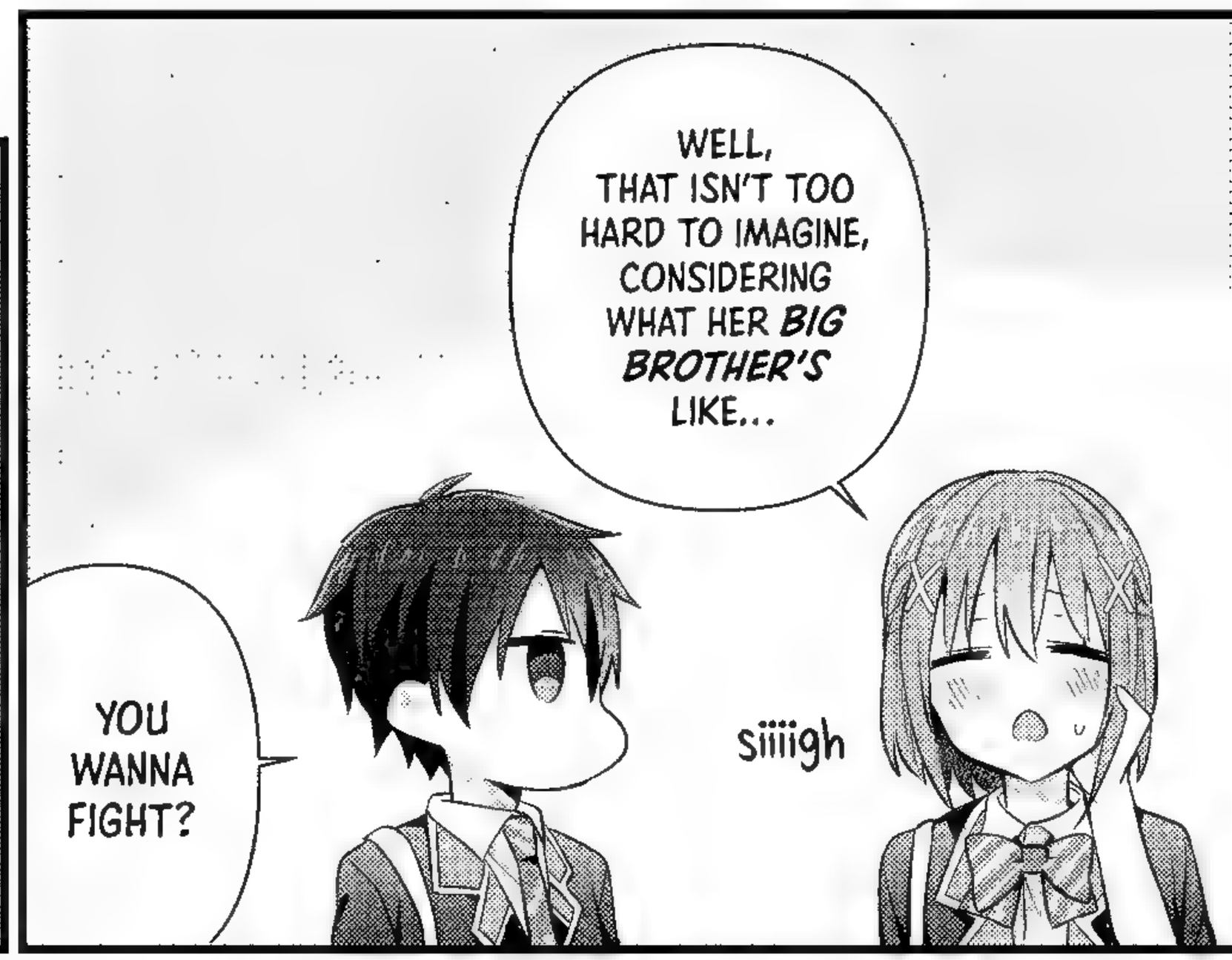
...HUUUH.

SO WHENEVER SHE GOES OUT, SHE'S EITHER ALONE OR WITH ME.

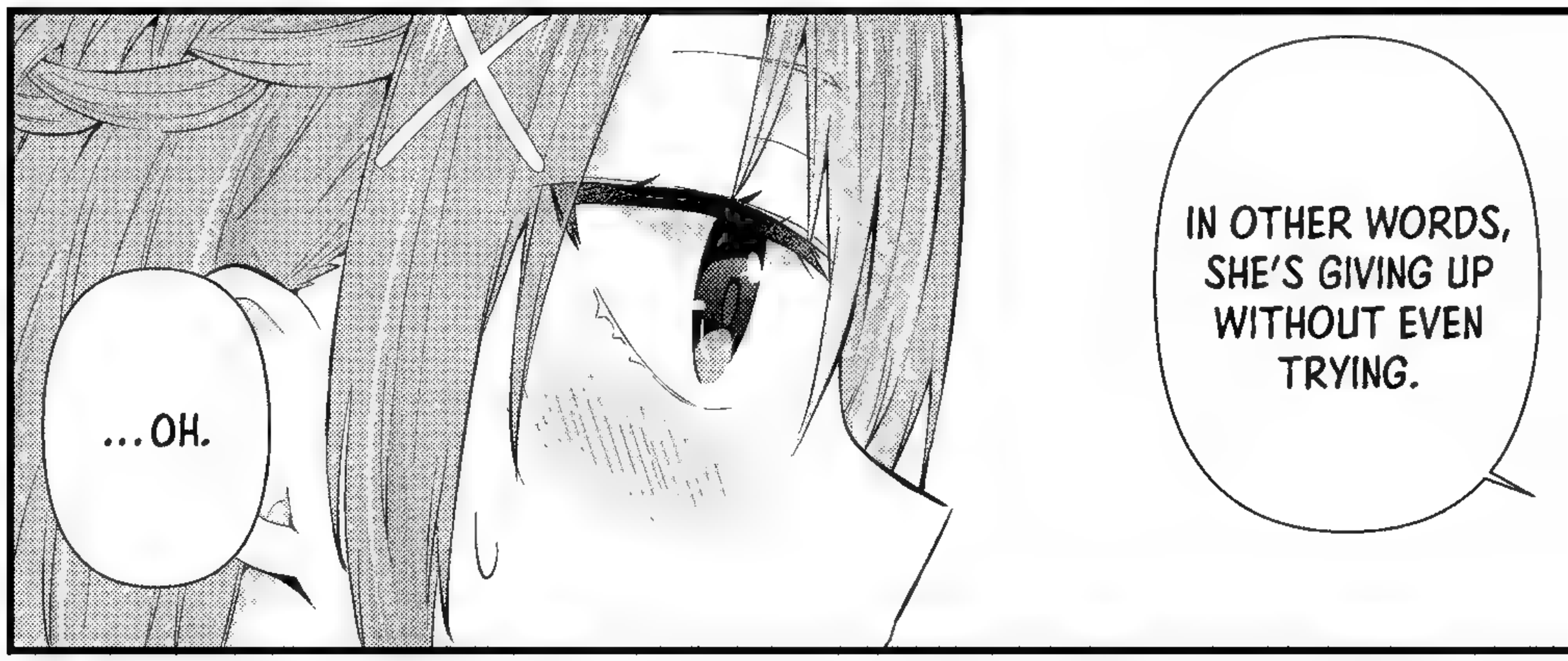
DOESN'T HAVE ANY FRIENDS.

MY LITTLE SISTER...


ANYWAY, SO THAT'S THE TRUTH, HUH?
THAT'S THE TRUTH... I'M A LITTLE WORRIED ABOUT HER.


WELL, THAT ISN'T TOO HARD TO IMAGINE, CONSIDERING WHAT HER *BIG BROTHER'S* LIKE...
YOU WANNA FIGHT?
siiiigh

WAIT, WHERE'S THAT VOICE COMING FROM?!
SHE NEVER BUDGES.
SHE SAYS, "I'M NOT GONNA GET SERIOUS ABOUT IT UNTIL YOU GET A GIRLFRIEND, YUKIKUN." (FALSETTO)
AND WHENEVER I TELL HER TO MAKE SOME FRIENDS,


...OH.
IN OTHER WORDS, SHE'S GIVING UP WITHOUT EVEN TRYING.

...
FUSHUSHU...

HEY, YUUKI-KUN...
...?
FREEZE

WANT ME... TO BE YOUR GIRLFRIEND?

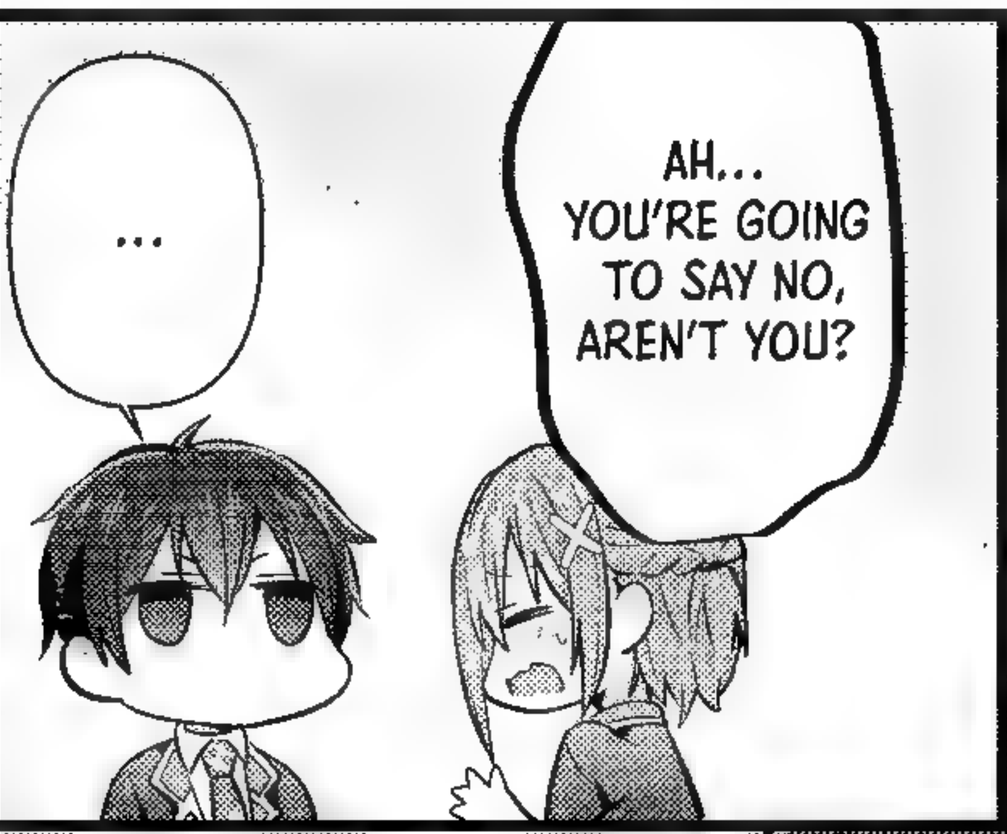
THAT'S... NOT WHAT I MEANT!

why?!

AHHHH! I SCREWED IT UP!

I'LL JUST *PRETEND* TO BE YOUR GIRLFRIEND!

I-I MEANT— PRETEND!



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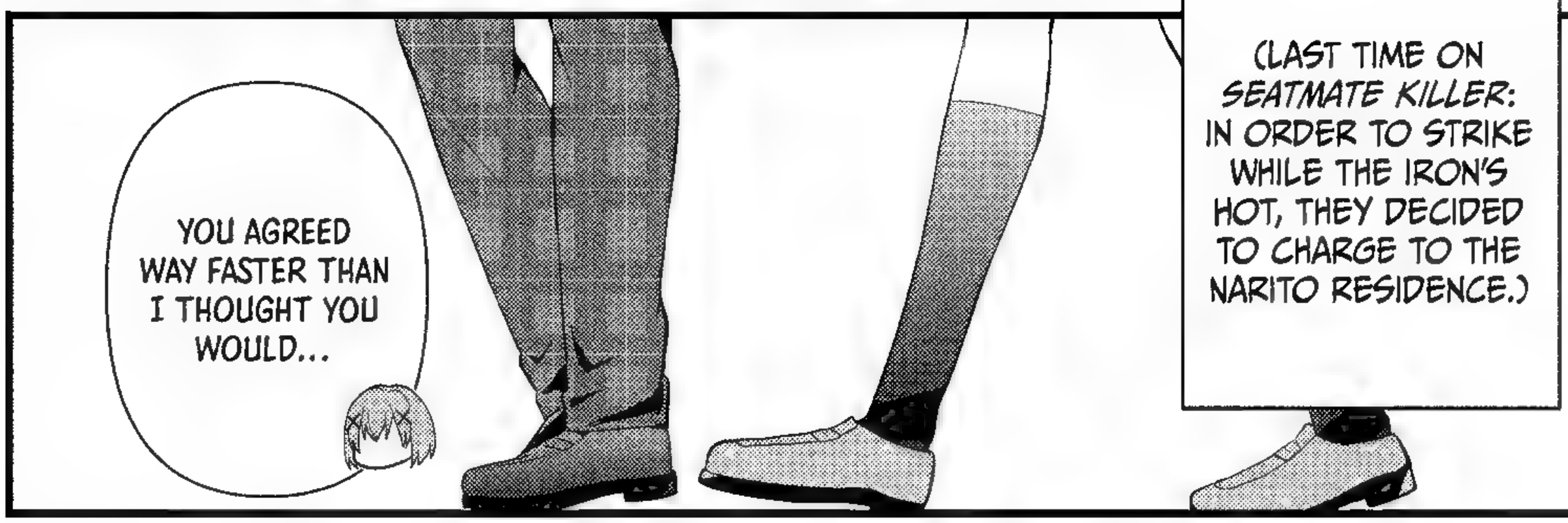

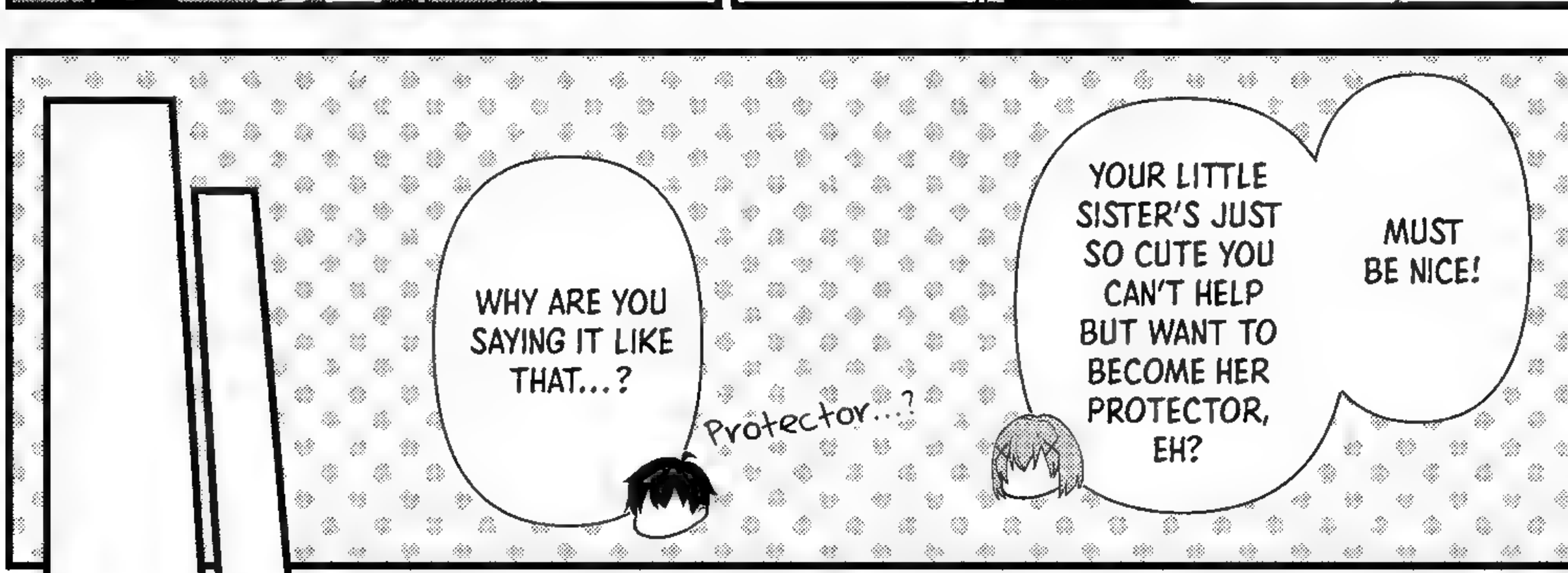

WHAT'S THAT STANCE FOR?

LET'S GIVE HER A LITTLE SHOW, YUUKI-KUN.

TA-

DA

LIKE HOW?

Infiltrate...?

THERE'S GOTTA BE A BETTER WAY TO INFILTRATE LIKE TRUE LOVERS, RIGHT?

IF... IF WE GO IN LIKE NORMAL, WE'LL JUST LOOK LIKE GOOD FRIENDS, RIGHT?

HUH?

WAA-AAH!!

GOOD POINT.

GRAB

L-LIKE, HOLDING HANDS!

BLIP...

YOU WANT ME TO CHANT THE DESTRUCTION SPELL?!

YEAH... PERFECT.

Ba*se!!

#23: Heart, Skill, Body
I need to make sure I don't say anything weird...
OH NO... I GUESS I SHOULDN'T BE SURPRISED, BUT...
I'M GETTING REALLY NERVOUS!!
MINA, I'M HOME!
PANTIES ?!
WELCOME HOME, YUKIKUN-SAMA!
A GUEST?!
Waaahhh!!
WE'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN, AND YOU'RE BOTH AT FULL THROTTLE ALREADY?

YUKIKUN... IS SHE A GUEST?

YES.

THIS IS YUI TAKATSUKI, THE GIRL I TOLD YOU ABOUT.

...WE'RE GOING OUT NOW.

IS... IS SHE...
I DON'T BELIEVE YOU... I DON'T BELIEVE YOU!!
B-BUT...!!
THAT YOU OFTEN SEE IN 2D STUFF?!
DOING THE WHOLE "MY BIG BROTHER BELONGS TO ME" THING,
Raaaar!!
Yukikun belongs to Mina!!
HOW MUCH DID YOU PAY HER?!
You actually went and hired someone this cute?!
THAT'S WHAT YOU WANTED TO SAY?!

YUI -CHAN

I GUESS THEY REALLY DO SHARE THE SAME DNA AFTER ALL...!

Like brother, like sister...

YES?

OH, COME ON. WHAT AM I GOING TO DO WITH YOU?

I DON'T BELIEVE YOU, NO MATTER WHAT YOU SAY!

THERE'S NOTHING NEFARIOUS ABOUT THIS... IT'S THE TRUTH, PLAIN AND SIMPLE.

STOP BEING SO UNREASONABLE.

MONOON

YOU THINK SHE'S YOUR GIRLFRIEND?! WELL SHE'S *UNOFFICIAL* UNTIL I GIVE MY APPROVAL, OKAY?!

YUI-VISION

TA-

APPAR-ENTLY.

DA

A TEST ON WHAT?!

I'M GOING TO GIVE YOU A TEST NOW!!

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FILTHY

FIRST, I WANT TO TEST HOW PURE AND *CLEAN* YOUR HEART IS!

A GIRLFRIEND MUST EXCEL IN HEART, SKILL, AND BODY!

IT'S SO DIRTY!

FOR YOUR FIRST TEST, YOU WILL CLEAN UP MINA'S ROOM!

YOU JUST WANT TO MAKE HER/ME DO YOUR CHORES?!

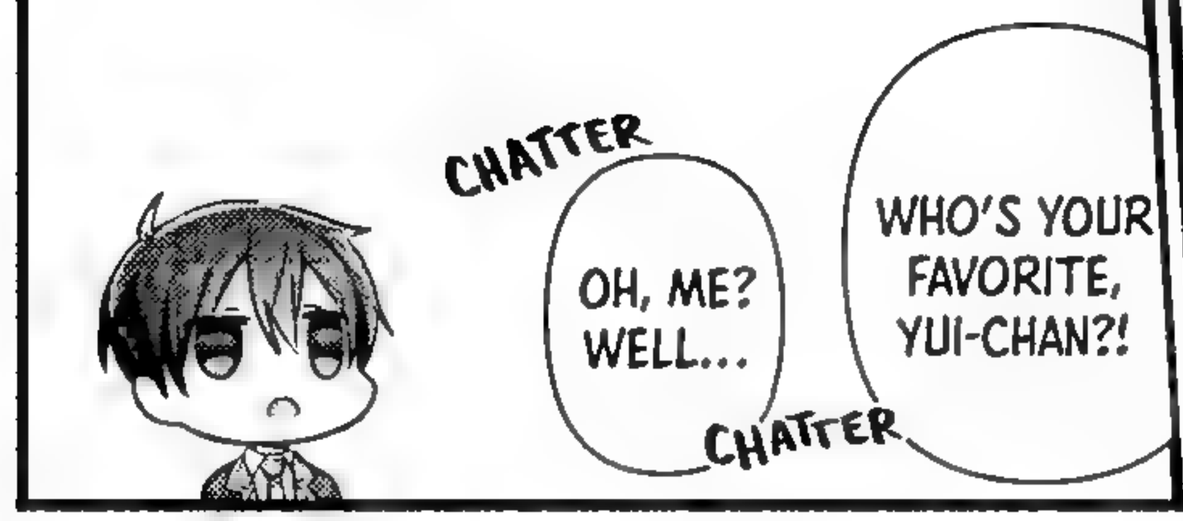
BAM

STEP

ALL I HAVE TO DO IS CLEAN IT UP, RIGHT?

FUHAHA! A DIFFICULT TEST, ISN'T IT?

THAT'S NOTHING TO BRAG ABOUT...



SPARKLE

HEART, SKILL, BODY TEST

HEART: CLEAR!!

COOKING!!

TA-DA☆

NEXT IS *SKILL!*

THAT'S JUST WHAT YOU'RE IN THE MOOD FOR, ISN'T IT, MINA?

SOFT AND GOOEY, YOU HEAR ME?!

I WANT YOU TO MAKE SOME OMURICE!

OH, GIMME A BREAK. OMELET MEALS ARE SUPER EASY!

WHAAAT?!

WHAT'S WRONG, YUI-CHAN? TOO HARD OF A TEST?

Eehehehe~

ALL DONE!

FWAH

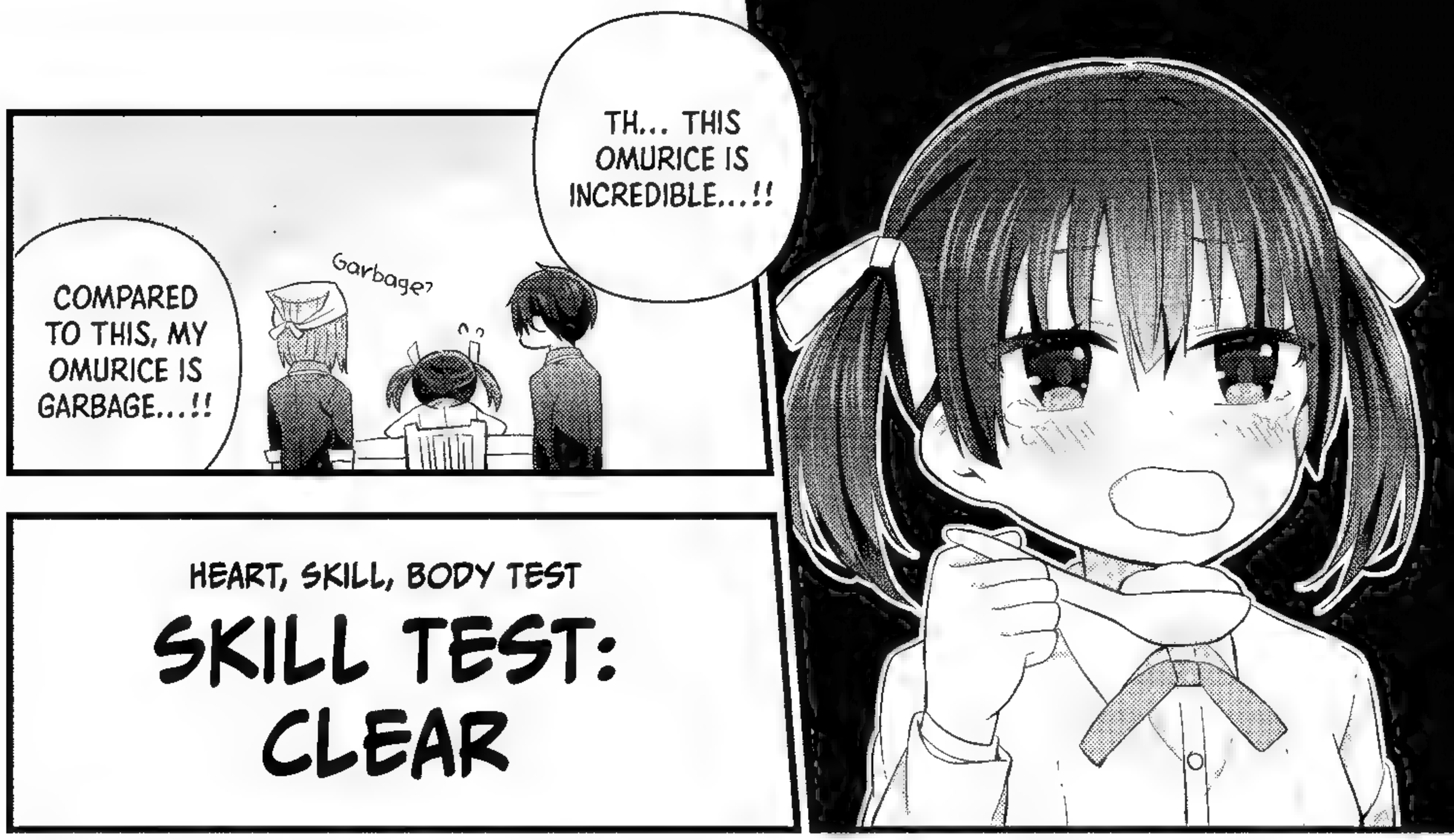
Whoaaaaa!!

WELL... IT MAY LOOK GOOD, BUT WHAT'S INSIDE IS WHAT'S IMPORTANT!

It's all about the taste!

IM...IMPOSSIBLE... THAT KLUTZ IS ACTUALLY CAPABLE OF BOTH CLEANING AND COOKING...?!

WHY ARE YOU ACTING SO SERIOUS?! HOW RUDE!!



HEART, SKILL, BODY TEST

SKILL TEST: CLEAR

BWAP
TIME FOR YOUR BODY TEST TO BEGIN, YUI-CHAN!!
MUHOHO! SO SOOOFT! ♡
NOOOOOO!!
HELP MEEE!!
WHY ARE YOU ACTING LIKE THIS IS PERFECTLY NORMAL AND HEALTHY?!
nod
nod
WAHHHH?!

Urgh...

TIME TO ANNOUNCE YOUR RESULTS!

HI BWISH!!

WHAA-AAAT?!

YOU FAIL!!

IT'D BE A WASTE.

IT'D BE A WASTE FOR YOU TO DATE YUKIKUN, YUI-CHAN!

SIIIILENCE! I'LL EXPLAIN EVERYTHING, JUST LISTEN UP!

MONOON

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? YOU PRACTICALLY INHALED HER FOOD...

I'm basically speechless at this point...

And stop complimenting me so casually!

WHOA, HEY, WHY ARE YOU AGREEING WITH HER?!

YEAH, TRUE.

STEP

TWITCH

REALLY?

DON'T ASK ME!

ON TOP OF THAT, WHILE I SENSE LOVE FROM YUI-CHAN'S SIDE...

I SENSE *DISTANCE* FROM YOURS, YUKIKUN.

WHAT KIND OF A POSE IS THAT?!

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SYNCHRO-NICITY?!

Yui

ピカッ

FLASH

SYNCHRO-NICITY...

フワッ

FWAH

...?!

I JUST THOUGHT WE MIGHT LOOK LIKE WE'RE GETTING ALONG BETTER IF I DID THIS...
...
Mutter
Mutter
WAAHH... YOU'RE TOO CLOSE! YUUKI-KUN...!
WHAT DO YOU LIKE ABOUT YUI-CHAN?!
ERM.
STOOOOOP!
Stop fondling each other in front of your little sister, you obnoxious lovebirds!
Lovebirds is an obsolete word.
YUKIKUN WILL NOW UNDERGO AN EXTRA ORAL EXAM!
TH-THUMP
TH-THUMP

Lovebird is an obsolete word.

JUST SAY, "*SHE'S CUTE,*" OR SOMETHING!

Like a true lovebird!

whisper

OH COME ON, YOU DON'T NEED TO SERIOUSLY THINK THAT HARD!

I'M JUST ONE BIG BUTT TO YOU?!

HER GLUTES?

WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU KNUCKLEHEADS LAUGHING ABOUT?!

Snicker

Pffft! YOU SAID "GLUTES"!

Snicker

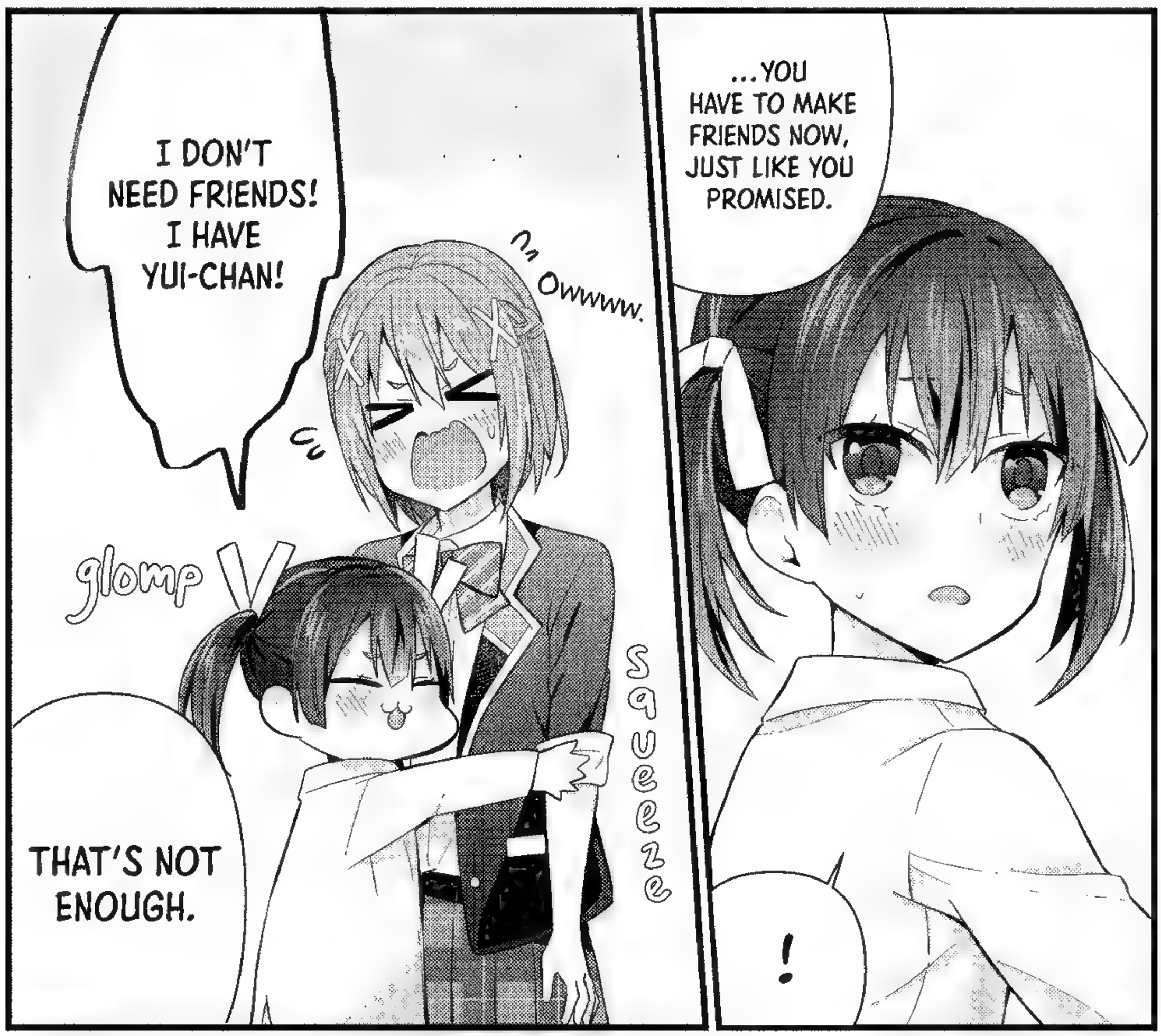
...I GUESS YOU CAN PASS AFTER ALL!

Ugh... Now she's even roped Yuuki-kun into this!

A HUSBAND-AND-WIFE COMEDY DUO?!
Well... YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO MAKE IT AS A HUSBAND-AND-WIFE COMEDY DUO...

A-ARE YOU SURE, MINA-CHAN?!
THE GODDESS'S JUDGMENT CAN BE CAPRICIOUS, YOU KNOW!
MORE IMPORTANTLY, YUI-CHAN, GIMME A HUG! ♡

MINA.
...


I DON'T NEED FRIENDS! I HAVE YUI-CHAN!
Owwww.
glomp
Squeeze
THAT'S NOT ENOUGH.
...YOU HAVE TO MAKE FRIENDS NOW, JUST LIKE YOU PROMISED.
!

...THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT I'M TRYING TO SAY.
Awawah...
WHAAAT?! STOP BEING SO STRICT, YUKIKUN!
AS LONG AS YUI-CHAN COMES OVER, I WON'T HAVE TO GO TO SCHOOL!

SO THAT YOU WON'T BE ALONE WHEN YOU GO TO SCHOOL.
YOU NEED TO FIND FRIENDS WHO ARE YOUR AGE...

O... OKAY.

THANKS FOR COMING OVER TODAY.

...I WASN'T ACTING.

Especially you acting like you were embarrassed...

YEAH. ANOTHER AMAZING PERFORMANCE FROM YUI, THE SKILLED ACTRESS.

Whisper

THE FAKE GIRLFRIEND PLAN...

THAT WENT PRETTY WELL, DIDN'T IT?

SHUT UP, YUUKI-KUN! I HATE YOU AND YOUR STUPID FACE!

THEN JUST TELL ME WHAT YOU SAID.

ENOUGH WITH THE ELABORATE "I CAN'T HEAR YOU" JOKES, OKAY?!

I've had enough of those!

Loungewear

¿CÓMO?

?

IS THERE REALLY SOMETHING WRONG WITH ME?

Let's blow this popsicle stand!

C'mon.

I NEVER THOUGHT...

YUKIKUN WOULD GET A GIRLFRIEND SO QUICKLY.

CHIRP

CHIRP

CHAPTER 8

RUFFLE

RUFFLE

For dates

HUH?

ARE YOU GOING OUT, YUKIKUN?

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YOU TWO ARE THAT FAR ALONG...?!

GOT A DATE WITH YUI.

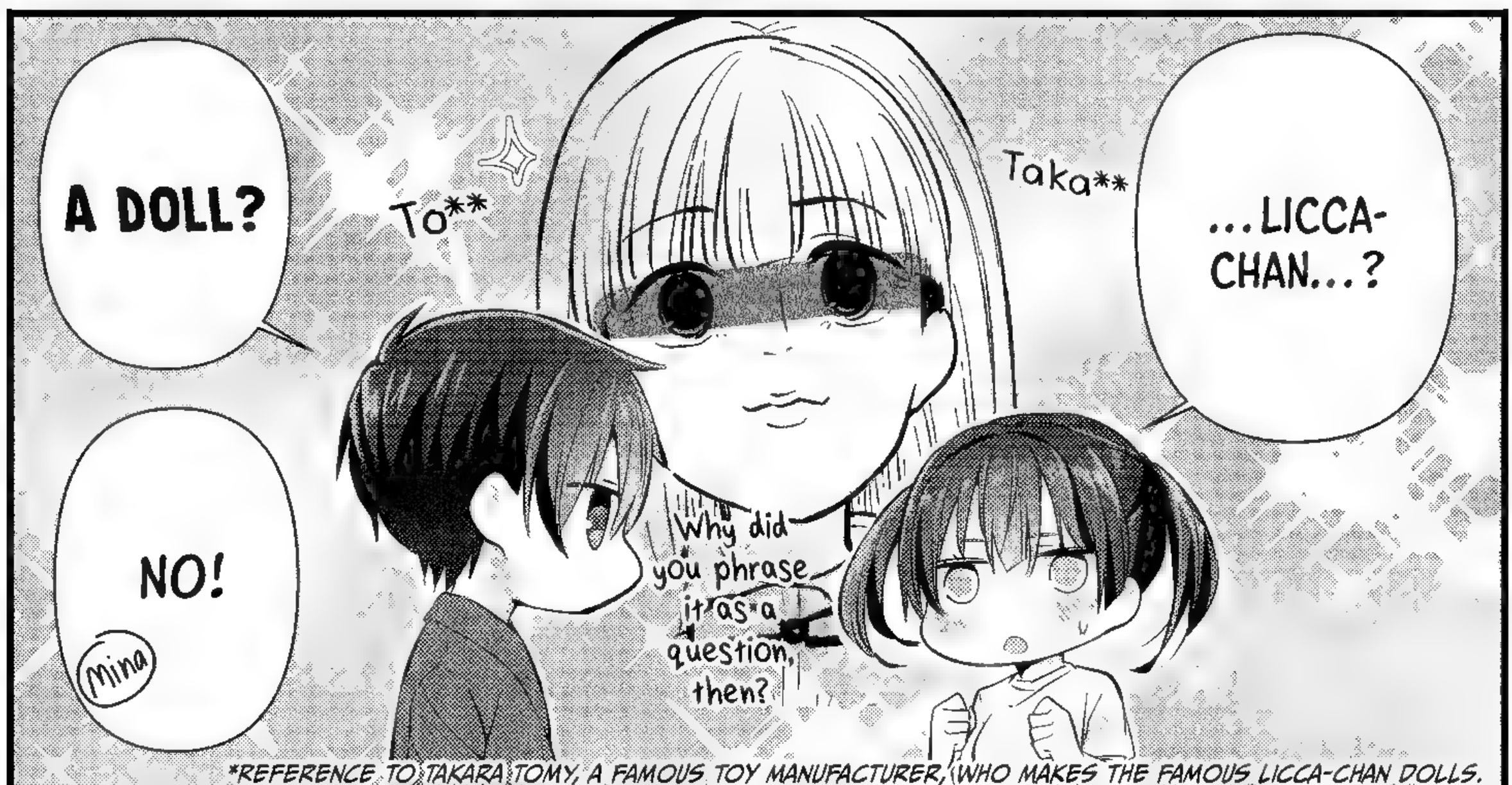
YEAH.

A DATE?!

I'M SORT OF BEING FORCED TO...

Just pretending!

#24: But You Don't Have Any Friends...



*REFERENCE TO TAKARA TOMY, A FAMOUS TOY MANUFACTURER, WHO MAKES THE FAMOUS LICCA-CHAN DOLLS.

Whew,

Busy, busy, busy...

I NEED TO GET READY TOO!

...

HUH?!

THIS ISN'T SOME OLDER FRIEND YOU MET ONLINE, RIGHT?

JUST FOR THE RECORD,

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

I HOPE SO.

I-IT'S A FRIEND FROM SCHOOL!

OF COURSE NOT!!

JUST STOP BUTTING YOUR NOSE INTO MY BUSINESS!

YOU EVEN CAME WITH ME WHEN I WENT TO GO SEE THAT MOVIE THE OTHER DAY...

UH... WE'LL DECIDE THAT AFTER WE MEET UP!

This is your first friend, right?

DON'T YOU THINK YOU SHOULD COME UP WITH SOME SORT OF A PLAN?

...ARE YOU REALLY GOING OUT, TO PLAY WITH A FRIEND?

HUH?!

...

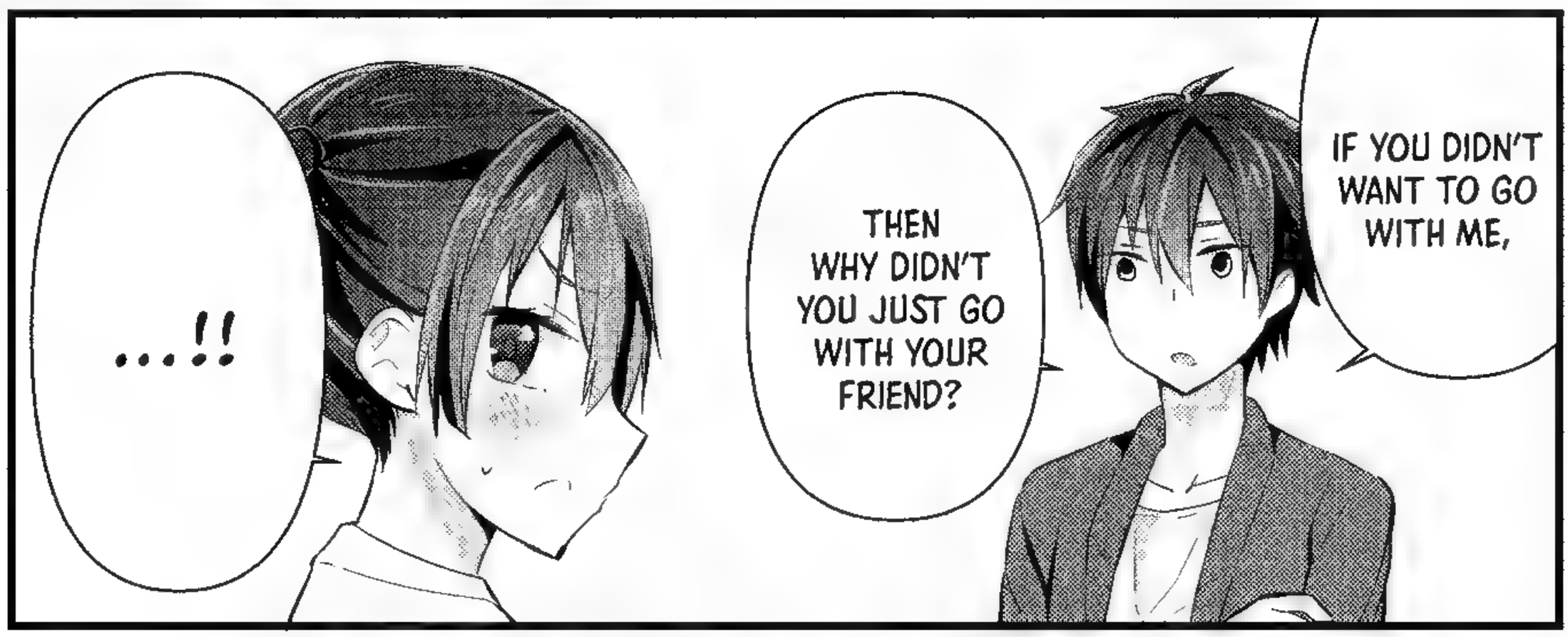
THAT'S BECAUSE YOU WERE ON YOUR OWN.

SO WHAT IF I AM?! IT'S NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS!

BECAUSE WE JUST WENT TO SEE THAT MOVIE THE OTHER DAY.

WHY ARE YOU SO SUSPICIOUS OF ME?!

O-OF COURSE I AM!



TAKE A PICTURE.

PROVE TO ME THAT YOU HAVE A FRIEND.

バタン
SLAM
...WHAT SHOULD I DO?

#25: Operation Fake Girlfriend Truly Begins

YUI...

THAT'S WHAT GOT YOUR ATTENTION ?!

WHAP

REALLY QUIET TODAY.

YOUR APPEARANCE SCENE WAS...

Siiii

ghh

GIMME A BREAK...

SILLY ME FOR EXPECTING YUUKI-KUN TO NOTICE...!!

I REALLY PUT A LOT OF WORK INTO DRESSING UP...!

Ticket Vendor

THOSE CLOTHES...

THEY'RE CUTE.

THEY LOOK VERY GOOD ON YOU.

HUH? YOU'RE NOT MAKING A FUSS LIKE YOU ALWAYS DO...

TH...THANK YOU...

MAKING A FUSS?! WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?!

I'm always well-mannered, thank you very much!

BLUUUUUSHH

HMM...

I FEEL SO FREE OUT HERE.

On a date

THE SPATIAL DISTORTION BETWEEN THE CITY AND COUNTRYSIDE IS QUITE NICE, ISN'T IT?

zoned out...

zoned out...

BECAUSE YOU AREN'T THROWING ANY VERBAL JABS AT ME LIKE YOU USUALLY DO.

WHY WOULD YOU THINK THAT?

THAT'S YOUR REASONING?

ARE YOU WORRIED ABOUT SOME-THING?

WHAT'S WRONG?

I GOT INTO A LITTLE ARGUMENT WITH MINA THIS MORNING.

WHAT?

THAT'S GREAT! SO SHE MADE A FRIEND, HUH?

MINA SAID SHE WAS GOING OUT TO PLAY WITH A FRIEND TOO...

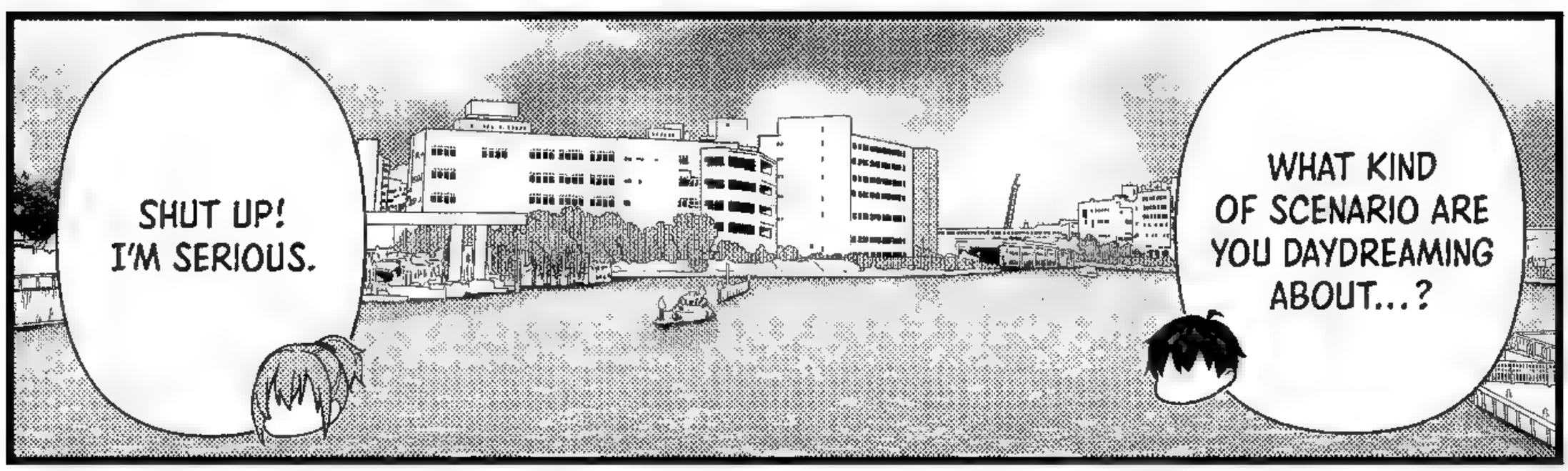
NO... SOMETHING DOESN'T FEEL RIGHT TO ME.

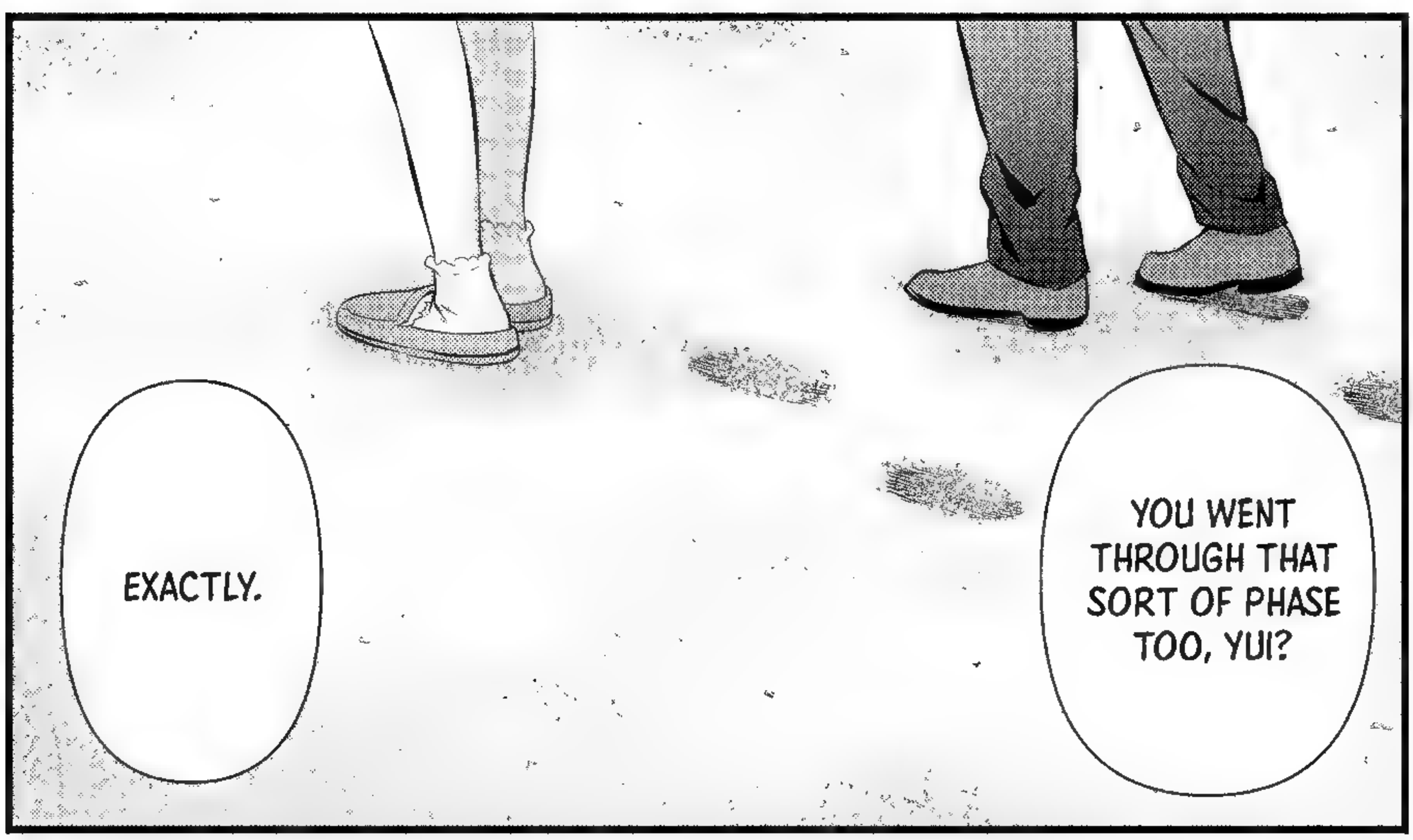
HUH...?

yui

...I HAD TO WORK REALLY HARD TO MAKE FRIENDS BACK IN THE DAY TOO.

THOUGHT


SHUT UP! I'M SERIOUS.
WHAT KIND OF SCENARIO ARE YOU DAYDREAMING ABOUT...?


EXACTLY.
YOU WENT THROUGH THAT SORT OF PHASE TOO, YUI?

BUT I FOUND THE ANSWER ON MY OWN IN THE END.

MY BIG SISTER GAVE ME SOME ADVICE AT THE TIME.

THERE'S NO POINT IN YOU OR I BUTTING IN!

MINA-CHAN'S THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN REALLY SOLVE THIS PROBLEM.

ANYWAY, WHAT I'M TRYING TO SAY IS...

BUT!

SO I'M SURE YOU AND MINA-CHAN UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER IN THAT RESPECT.

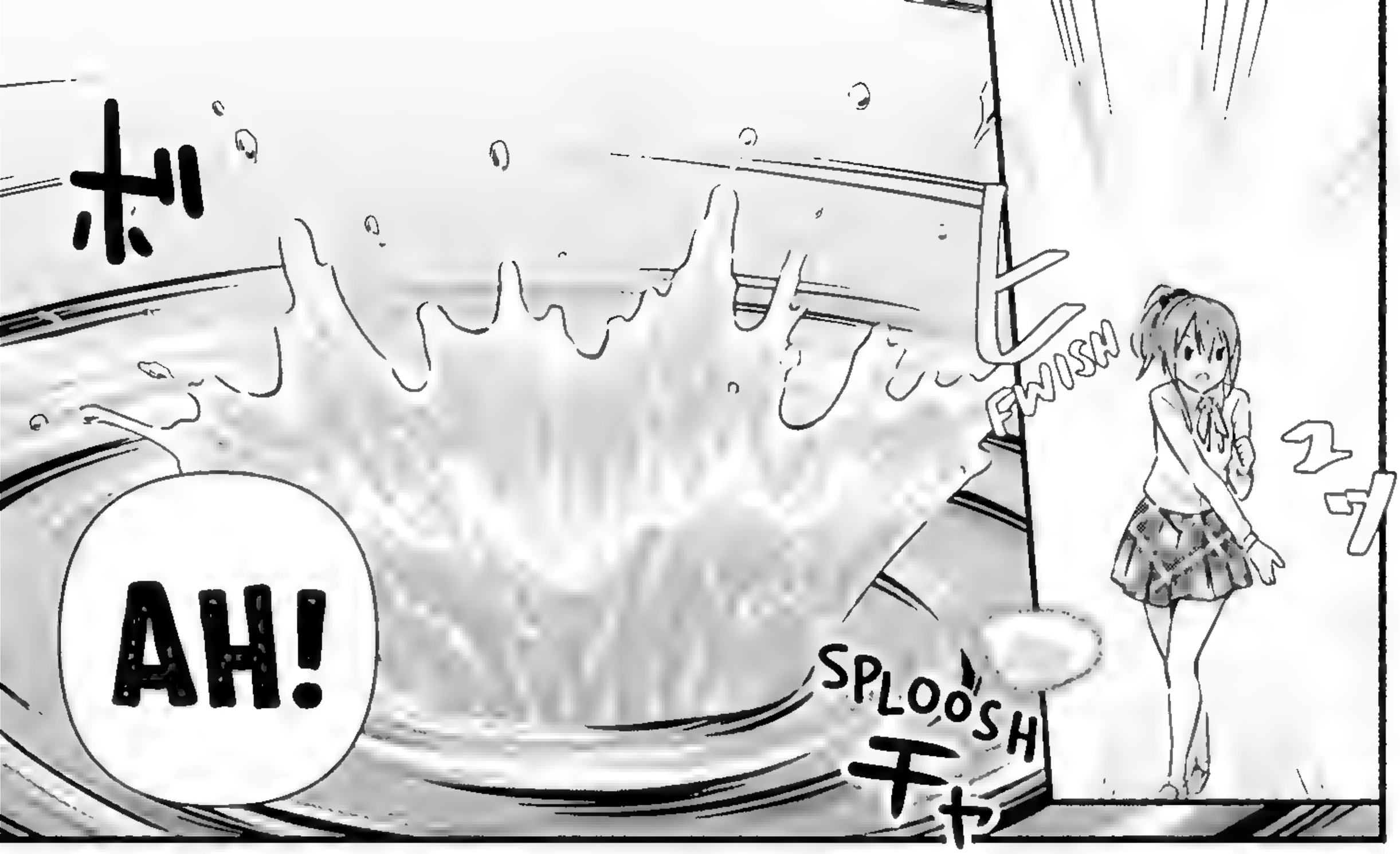
YOU'RE INTROVERTED, YUUKI-KUN,

YOU'RE KIND.

SO I'M SURE SHE'LL BE ABLE TO MAKE FRIENDS!

MINA-CHAN'S ALSO KIND, SINCE SHE GREW UP WATCHING YOU.

IN OTHER WORDS,


AH!
SPLOOSH
FWISH

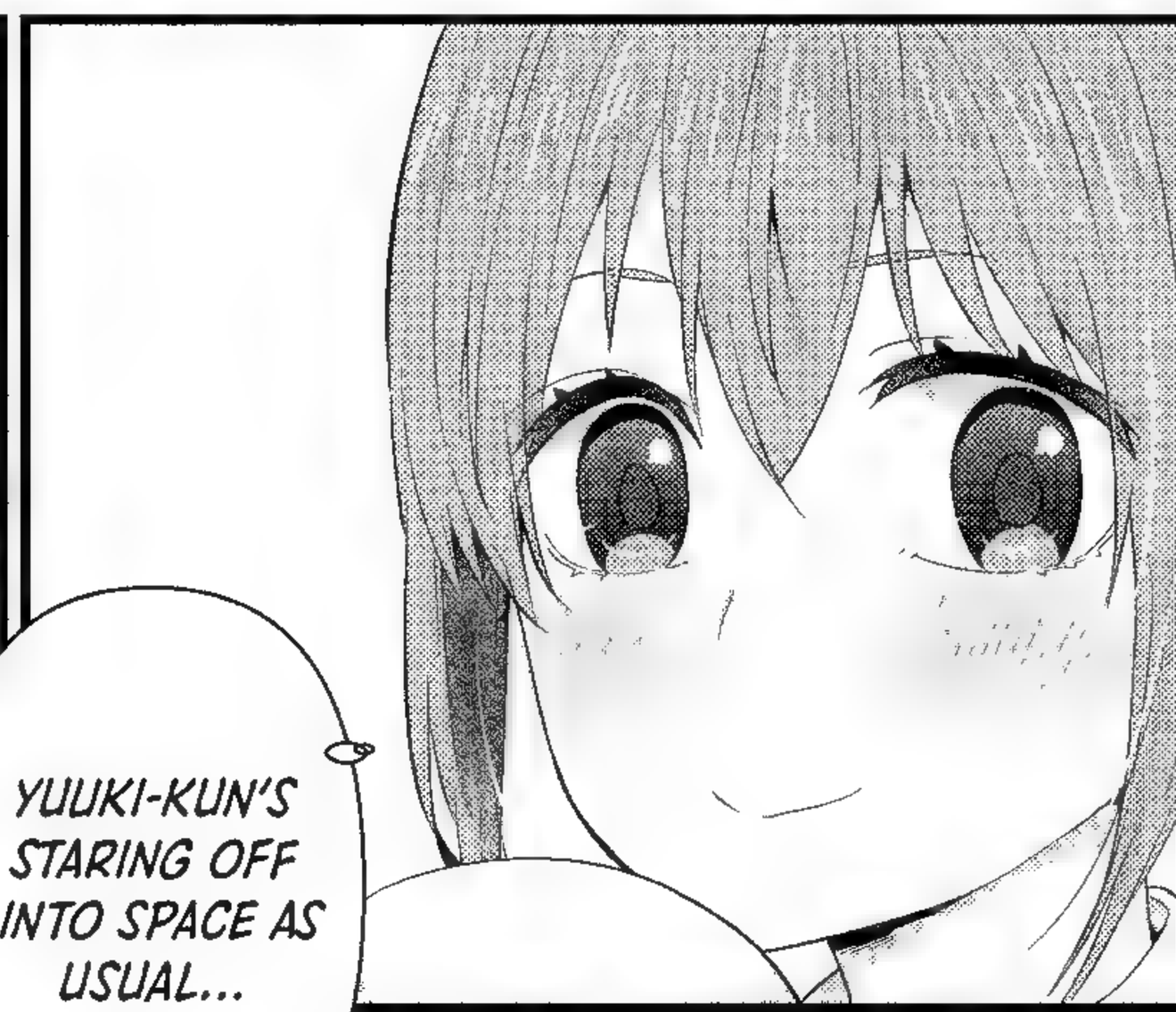
WH-WHAT THE?!
THAT REALLY SANK.

NAH. ANYWAY, THANKS.
FOR SERIOUS ATMOSPHERES LIKE THIS...
MAYBE I'M REALLY JUST NOT SUITED...

munch
munch

THAT WAS DELICIOUS.

BUT IT SEEMS LIKE HE'S IN BETTER SPIRITS THAN BEFORE... GOOD.


YUUKI-KUN'S STARING OFF INTO SPACE AS USUAL...

Heh heh heh ♪

OOH! ♪

HOW ABOUT I LET YOU REST ON MY LAP, THEN?

...I'M GETTING KINDA SLEEPY.

WHOA!!

ガッ☆ SNAP

IF YOU INSIST.

Broken neck.

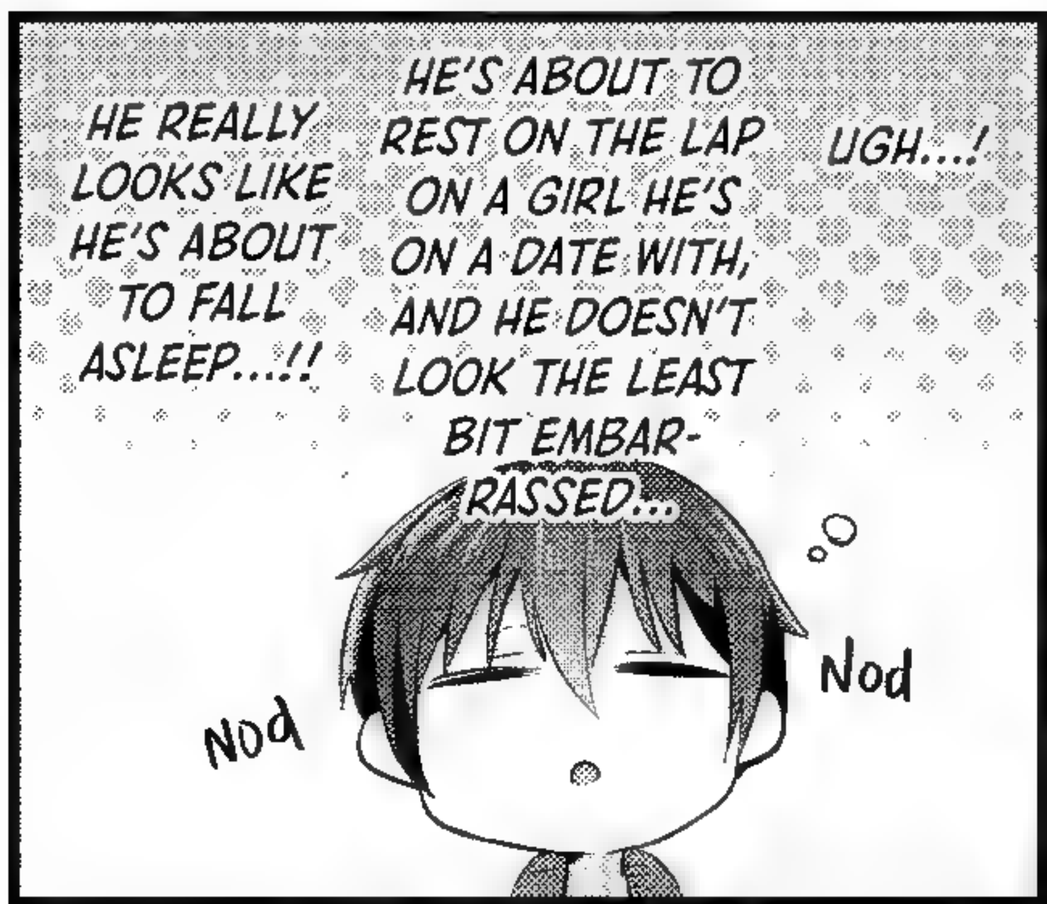
WHY ARE YOU IMMEDIATELY TRYING TO MAKE ME YOUR PILLOW?!

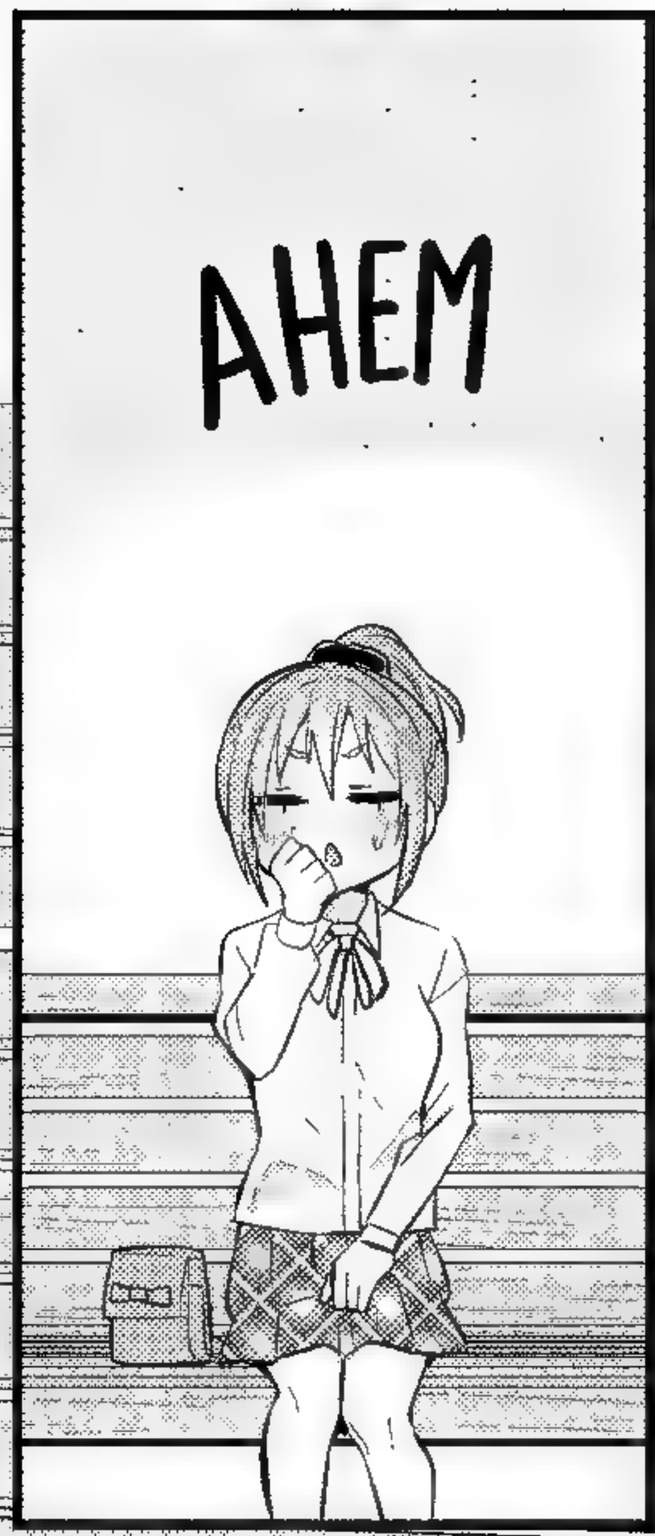
PUSH

NO, WAIT, YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BLUSH AND SAY "WHAWHA-WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, YUI-CHAN?! "

SAY SOMETHING LIKE, "PLEASE LET ME REST ON YOUR LAP, LOVELY YUI-CHAN. ♡"

B-BESIDES, IF YOU'RE ACTUALLY GOING TO REST ON MY LAP, YOU MIGHT AS WELL (?)





HUH?!
THUMP

WAAAAH...

NUZZLE ぬくぬく

NUZZLE ぬくぬく

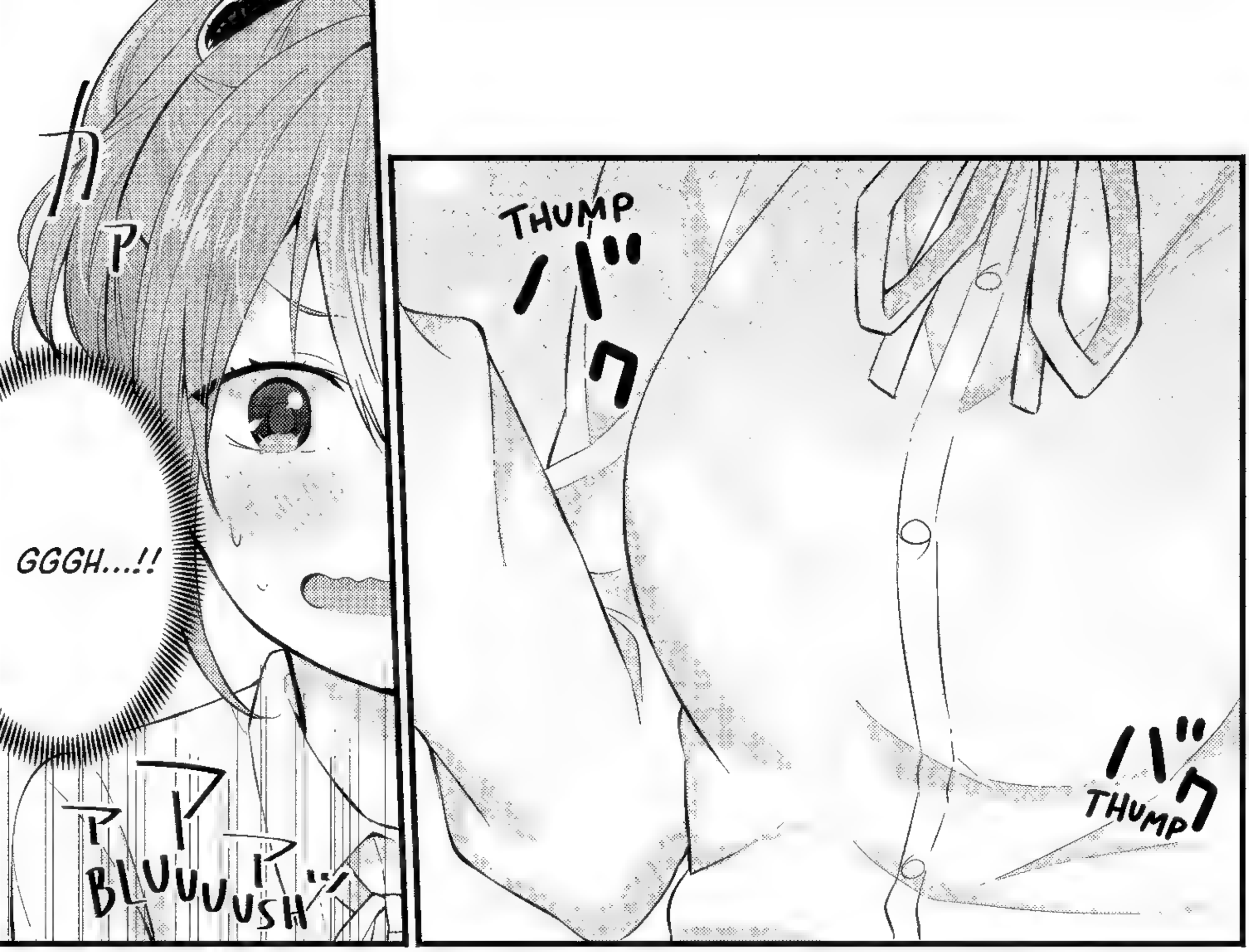
I DON'T BELIEVE THIS...

NUZZLE ぬくぬく

HE'S ACTING SO NATURAL...!!

DOES HE HAVE NERVES OF STEEL OR SOMETHING?!

NUZZLE ぬくぬく


THUMP
THUMP
GGGH...!!
BLUUUUSH...

WHAT IF HE HEARS MY HEART POUNDING...?!
Wiggle
Wiggle
Nuzzle
Nuzzle
THIS POSITION SEEMS KIND OF DANGEROUS TOO!

WHAT IF I START TO SMELL...?
NOW I'M SWEATING TOO...!
URK.
Sweat

Zzzzzzz

MMMMM... SMELLS GOOD...

HEEEEEY !!!

WE JUST SLEPT THROUGH THE WHOLE DATE...!!

SNOOORE

SNOOORE

IN THE END,

...

SNOOORE

That was a good sleep.

Yaaawn

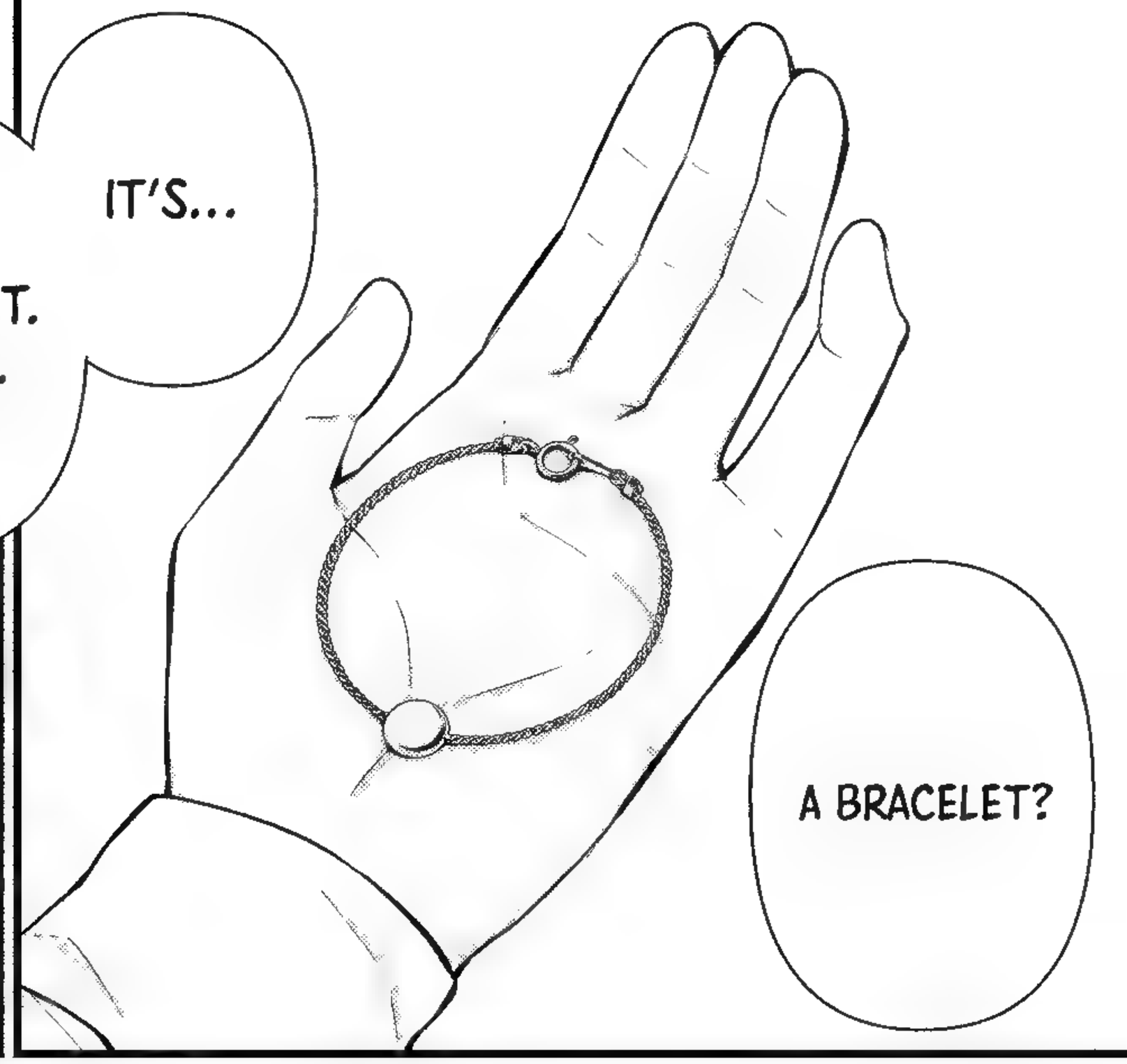
?

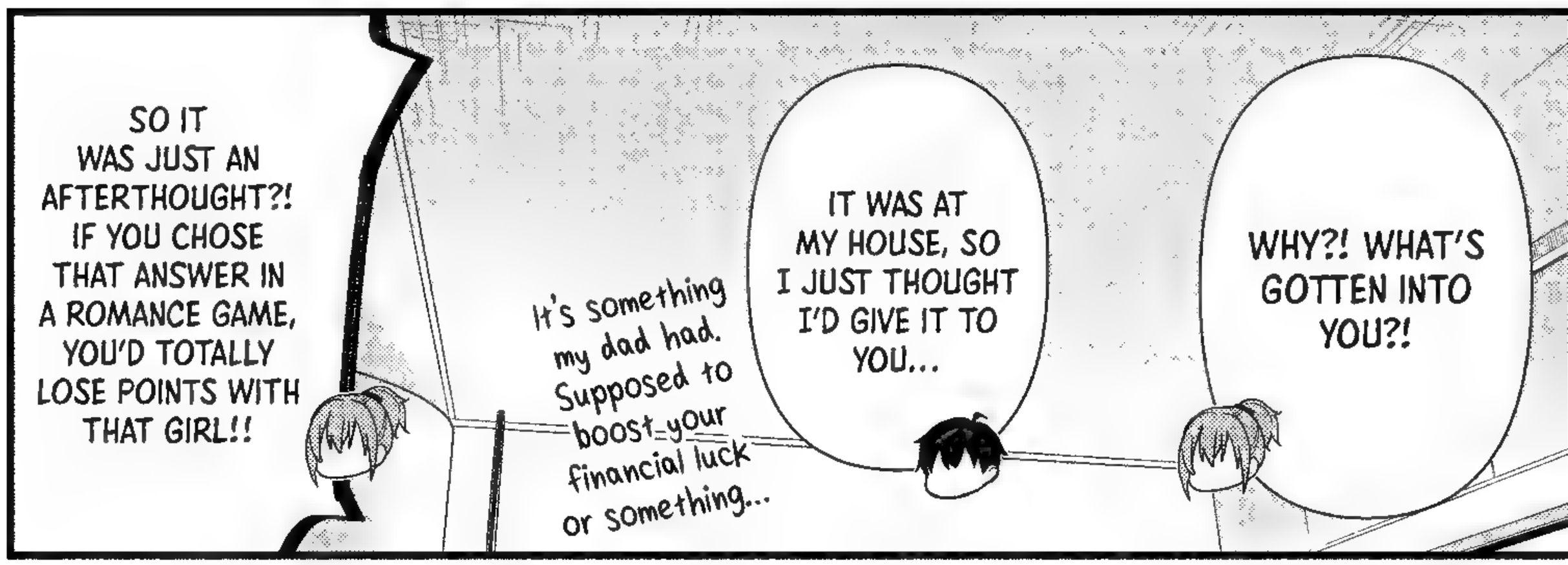
YUI, LET ME SEE YOUR HAND.

AH!

That's right.

HUH?


IT'S...
A BRACELET. FOR YOU.
A BRACELET?


SO IT WAS JUST AN AFTERTHOUGHT?! IF YOU CHOSE THAT ANSWER IN A ROMANCE GAME, YOU'D TOTALLY LOSE POINTS WITH THAT GIRL!!
It's something my dad had. Supposed to boost your financial luck or something...
IT WAS AT MY HOUSE, SO I JUST THOUGHT I'D GIVE IT TO YOU...
WHY?! WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO YOU?!

CLENCH
...THANKS, THOUGH.

Financial luck, huh?

HEH HEH...

I was pretending to grin, as I'm your pretend girlfriend!

J-JUST SHUT UP!

?

IF YOU GRIN THAT MUCH, IT LOOKS SUSPICIOUS.

Grin

Grin

IT'S ALREADY PAST 5...

...OH YEAH. NOW WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO?

OH YEAH, ABOUT THAT...

ARE YOU GONNA DIE OR SOME-THING?!

HUH? YOU'RE BEING TOO NICE TODAY!

COME ON.

WANNA EAT DINNER AT MY HOUSE?

OKAY, SURE! ♪

STEP

STEP

I THINK IT'LL MAKE HER HAPPY IF YOU'RE THERE TOO.

MINA WILL PROBABLY BE HOME SOON ANYWAY.

...MAYBE SHE'LL BRING HER FRIEND HOME TOO, WHO KNOWS!

MINA, YOU HERE? I BROUGHT YUI HOME FOR DINNER.

KNOCK KNOCK

PHRASING !!

WE'RE BACK!

...YUUKI-KUN?

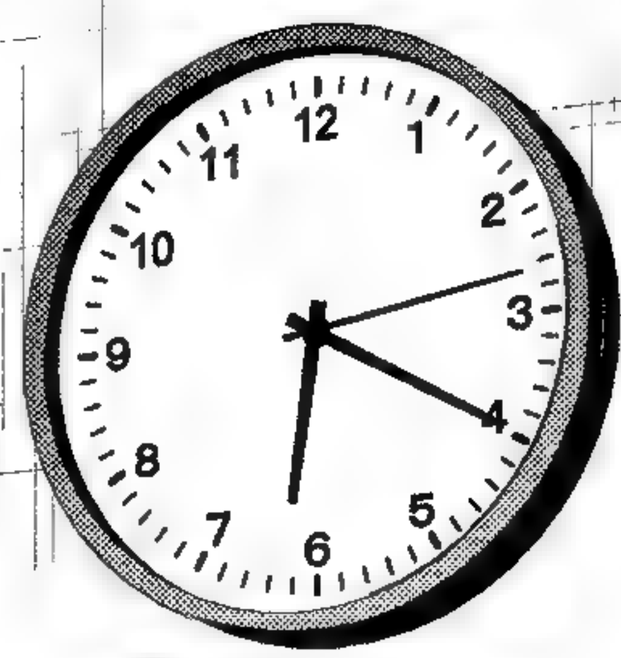
...SHE ISN'T HERE.

MAYBE SHE'S IN THE LIVING ROOM?

WHY AM I GETTING A BAD FEELING...?

HMM, I GUESS SHE HASN'T COME BACK YET.

NO MATTER HOW LONG THEY WAITED, MINA NEVER CAME HOME.



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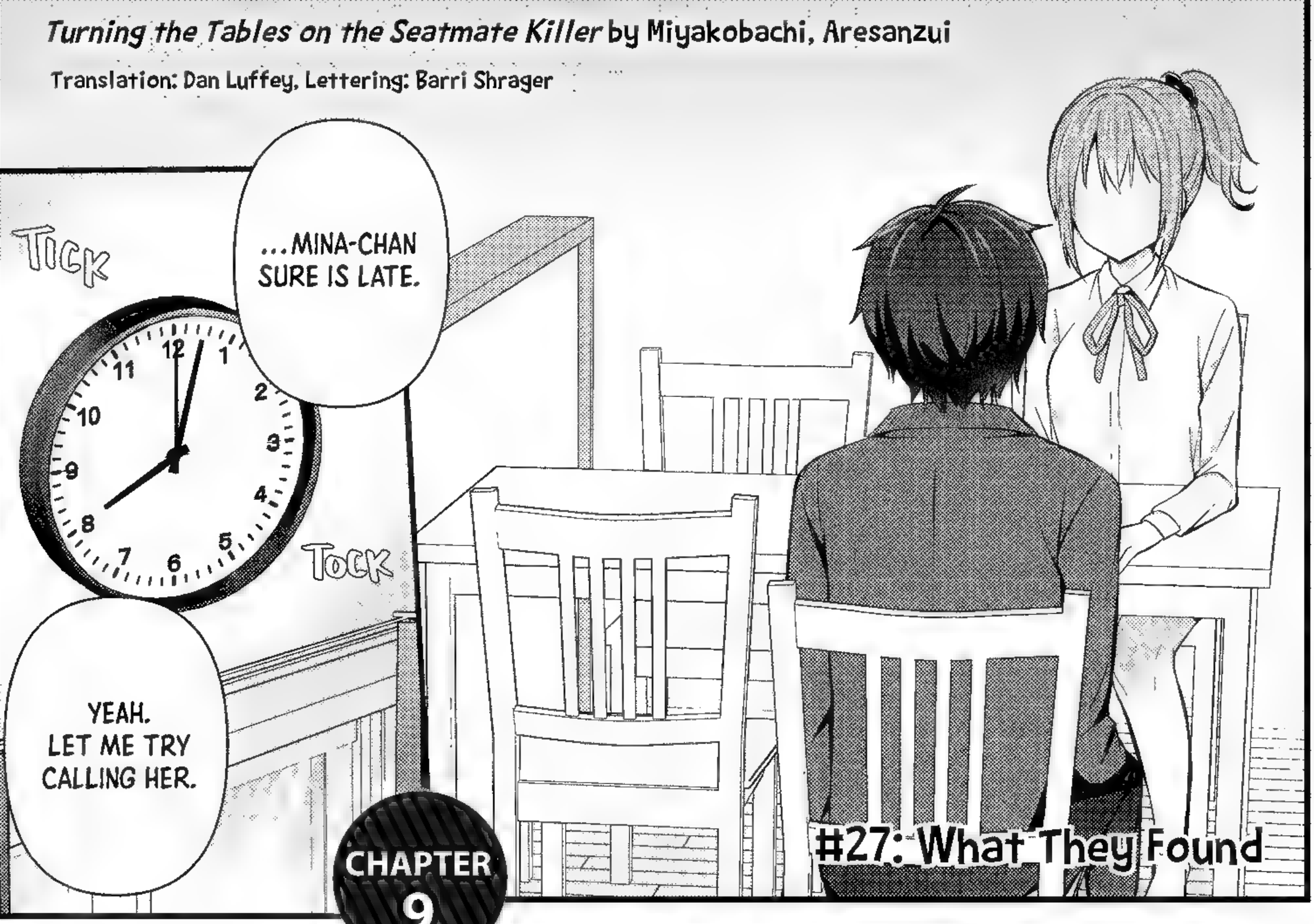


CHAPTER 9

#27: What They Found

Whoa!

HEY, YUUKI-KUN?!

CLICK

BUT IT'S LATE...

I'LL GO WITH YOU!

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?! IT'LL BE MORE EFFICIENT IF WE LOOK FOR HER TOGETHER!

BESIDES...

SORRY YUI, BUT CAN YOU GO HOME NOW?

...I'M GOING TO LOOK FOR MINA.

IF I IGNORED MY *FAKE* BOYFRIEND IN HIS TIME OF NEED?

HOW COULD I CALL MYSELF A PROPER *FAKE* GIRLFRIEND

TANAKAYA

MINA...

DASH トタタ...

MINA ?!

HUH?!

Only one what?!

I SEE THAT YOU ONLY HAVE ONE... I MISTOOK YOU FOR SOMEONE ELSE.

Bow

Apology

...SORRY.

WHERE ARE YOU?

MINA...

RUSTLE

STOMP

SHE USED TO PLAY ON A LOT...
THAT'S THE SWING SET...

YOU DON'T WANT ME TO PUSH YOU?
I'M GONNA SWING ON THE SWING ALL BY MYSELF!
NO! I CAN DO IT!
I WANNA SHOW MOMMY THAT I CAN DO IT ON MY OWN!
Heeey!
MINA! YUUKI!
Let's go home.
DON'T RUN, MINA, OR YOU'LL FALL AGAIN!
SQUEAL
Getting picked up
MOMMY!

TODAY I'M GONNA MAKE YOUR FAVORITE-OMURICE!

YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO SWING STANDING UP SOON!

YAAAY!!

HEY MOMMY, WATCH ME SWING!

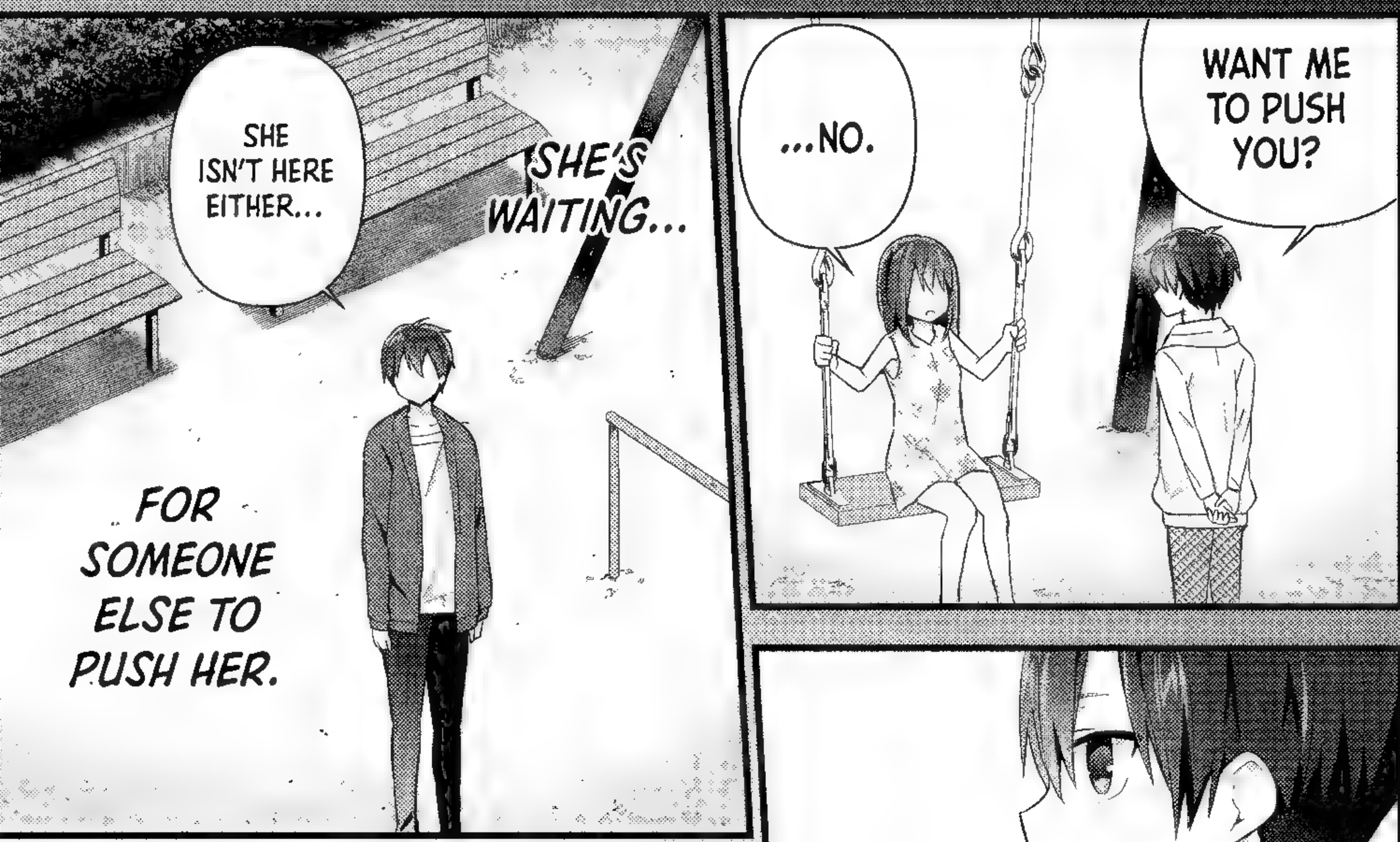
OKAY, OKAY.

Sweatshirt

BUT...

WHEN MOM PASSED AWAY,

MINA STOPPED SWINGING ON THE SWINGS.



NO, NOT YET...
Wheeze
Wheeze
DID YOU FIND MINA-CHAN?
ME EITHER! SORRY...

YUUKI-KUUN!

...I'M GONNA CALL THEM.

!

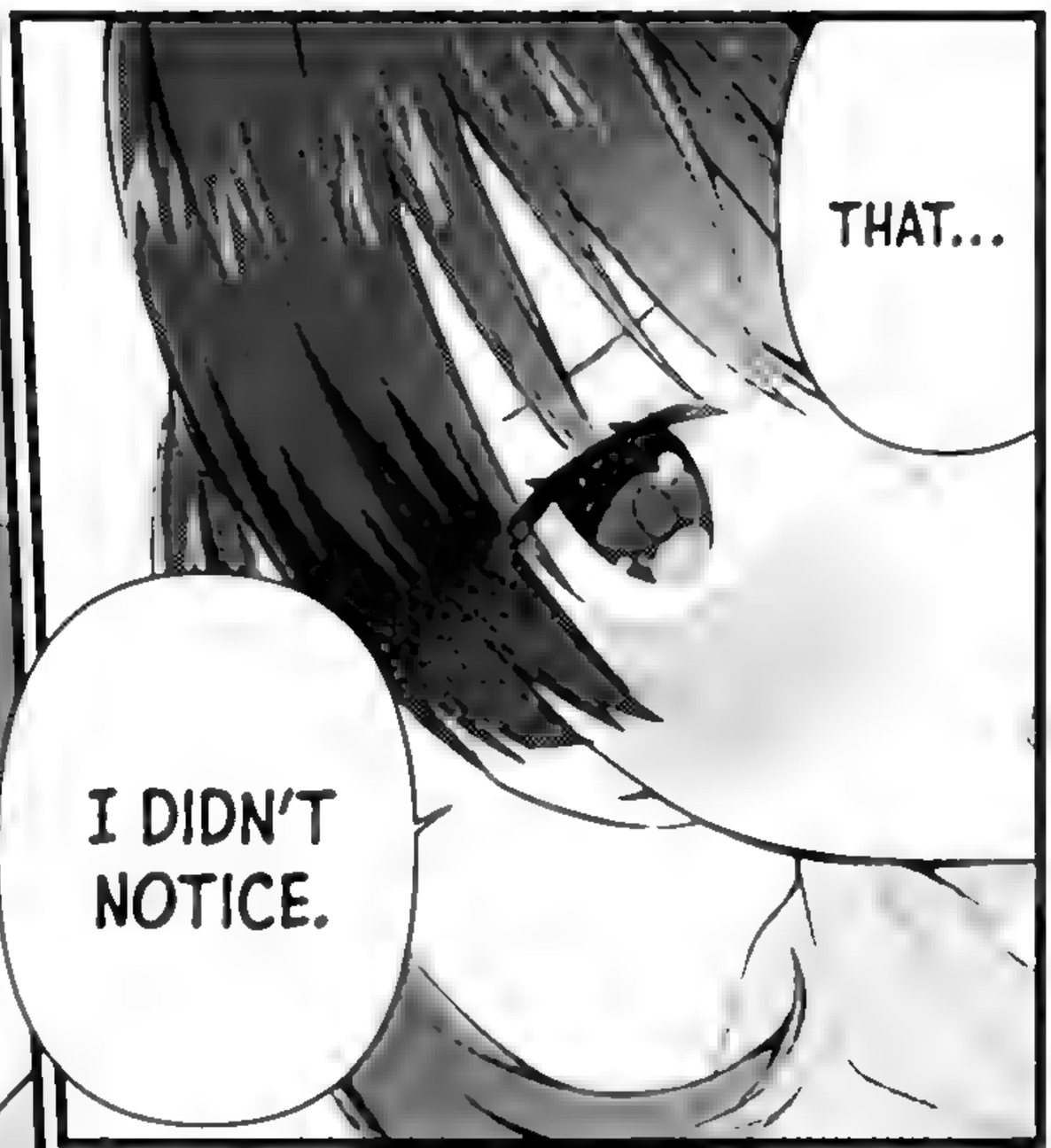
WHAT IF SHE GOT CAUGHT UP IN SOME–
THE POLICE.
WHAT? CALL WHO?

MINA!!

B-BECAUSE I WAS HAVING FUN!

WHY DIDN'T YOU ANSWER THE PHONE?

PLAYING WITH MY FRIEND...
I WAS JUST SO CAUGHT UP IN...


THAT...
I DIDN'T NOTICE.

LET'S GO HOME, MINA.

I'M GLAD TO HEAR THAT.

OF COURSE NOT. YOU'RE SAFE, AFTER ALL.

...YOU AREN'T GONNA GET MAD?

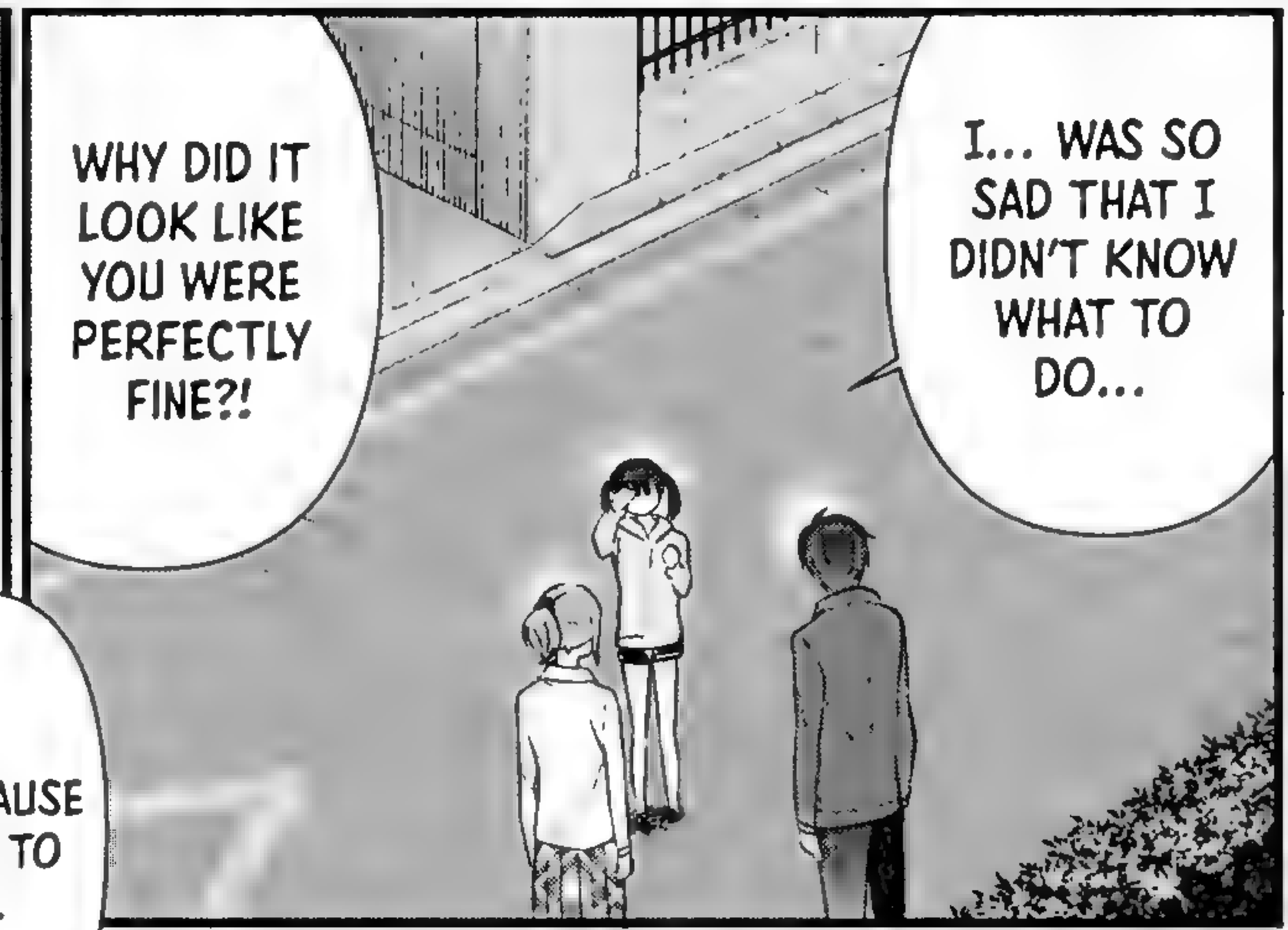
SQUEEZE

...WHY?

WHY AREN'T YOU...

MAD AT ME?

YOU WERE EXACTLY THE SAME BACK WHEN MOM PASSED AWAY...



BECAUSE I'M THE BIG BROTHER.

I'M NOT ALLOWED TO CRY...

THEN I APOLOGIZE.

BUT IF THAT ONLY MADE YOU MORE WORRIED, MINA...

SO YOU WERE HOLDING BACK THE ENTIRE TIME.

OH...

...

ALWAYS CAUSING TROUBLE FOR YOU.

AND I'M...

I'M SUCH A BAD SISTER...

BUT I CAN'T EVEN MAKE A SINGLE FRIEND.

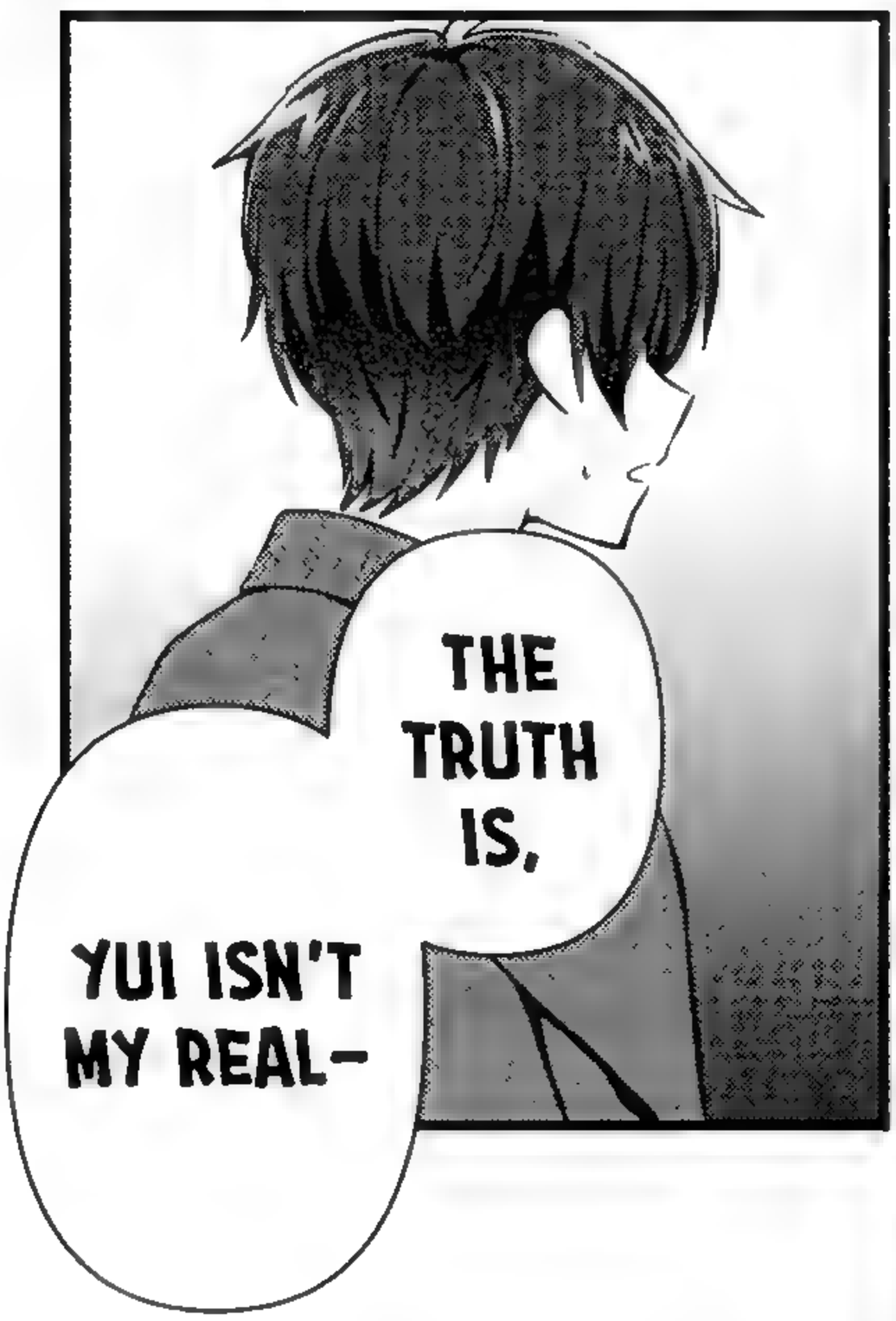
YOU GOT A GIRLFRIEND...

I SHOULD HAVE JUST MADE MYSELF DISAPPEAR!

WHAP!!

MINA, I'M SORRY–

STAY AWAY FROM ME!



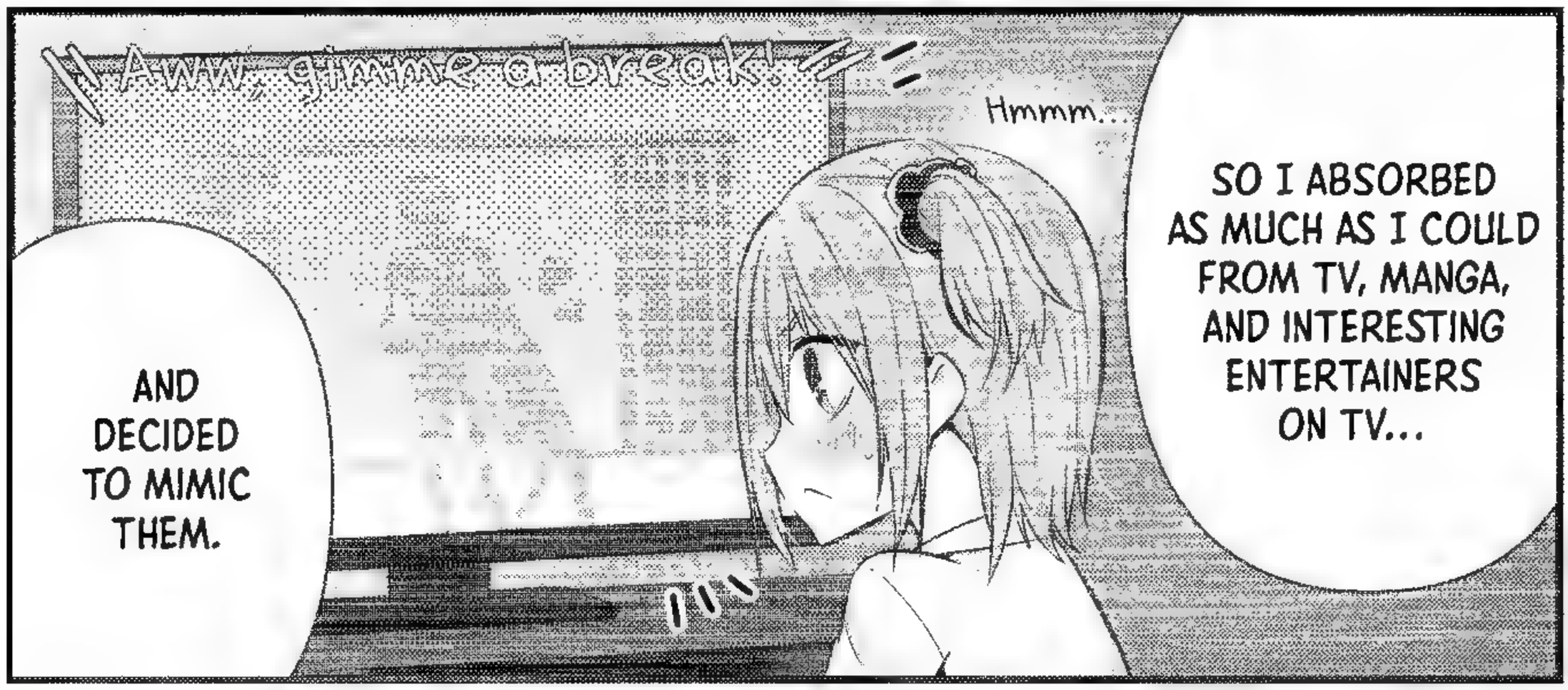
GUFF–

ぎゅっ
HUG
I USED TO NOT HAVE FRIENDS EITHER.
YUI-CHAN ...?!
WHAT?!

ARE YOU... TELLING THE TRUTH?

YES, IT'S TRUE!

I WAS BASICALLY ONE OF THE CRAPPY CHARACTERS IN A GACHA THAT NO ONE WANTS.



SO I ABSORBED AS MUCH AS I COULD FROM TV, MANGA, AND INTERESTING ENTERTAINERS ON TV...

AND DECIDED TO MIMIC THEM.

OF COURSE, AT FIRST, I DID NOTHING BUT FAIL...

BUT GRADUALLY, EVERYONE AROUND ME STARTED LAUGHING...

AND I WAS ABLE TO MAKE FRIENDS.

SO...

Right?!

AND NOW I EVEN HAVE A WONDERFUL *BOYFRIEND!*

DON'T PANIC.

AND DO WHAT YOU CAN, WHEN YOU CAN!

AND DO WHAT I CAN?

DON'T PANIC...

...THANK YOU, YUI-CHAN.

YOU'RE WELCOME!

RUB

MINA.

TO FEEL OKAY BEING ON YOUR OWN...

EVEN IF YOU MAKE ENOUGH FRIENDS.

BE YOUR BIG BROTHER.

...I'LL ALWAYS.

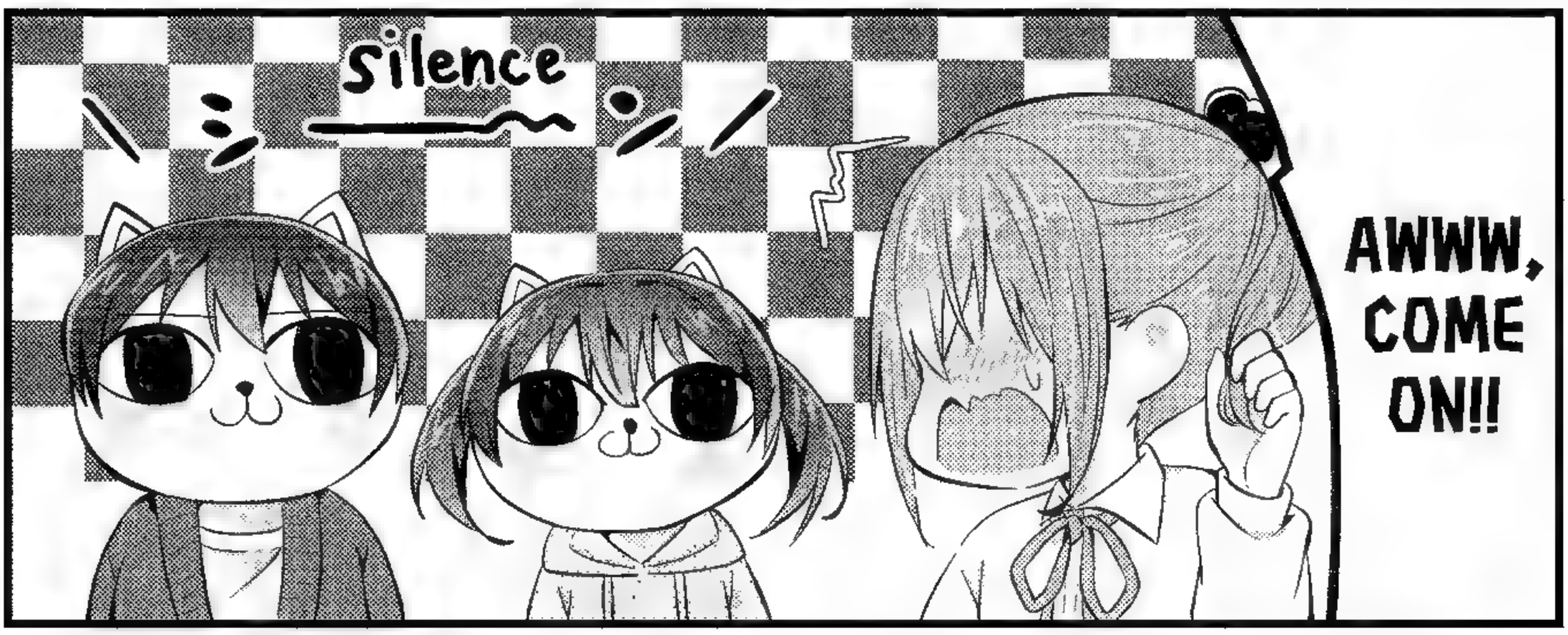
I'LL ALWAYS BE HERE FOR YOU WHENEVER YOU NEED ME.

AAAAAHHHHH!!

Siiigh...

Fried Shrimp ~Lovingly Breaded in Curly Hair~

Fwish...



SEE! IT SORT OF SNEAKS UP ON YOU, DOESN'T IT?!
Hmph.
Snicker Snicker

HAHAHAHA...
Huh?

IT'S FUNNY HOW YOU ALWAYS SCREW UP, YUI-CHAN!

BUT IT IS! THOSE PARTS ARE WAY FUNNIER!
C'mon!
EXCUSE MEEE?! WHAT DO YOU MEAN "ALWAYS"?!

WHAT I WAS SEEING OVERLAPPED WITH THE MEMORY OF BEING WITH MOM.
JUST FOR A BRIEF MOMENT...
I'M GETTING HUNGRY!

WHY ARE YOU ASSUMING THAT I'LL BE FOOTING THE BILL?

OOOH! THANKS FOR TREATING ME!

WANNA GO GET SOME BEEF BOWLS IN FRONT OF THE STATION?

Yaay!

BEEF BOWLS, BEEF BOWLS!!

I KNOW THAT MINA WILL BE ABLE TO MAKE FRIENDS.

AFTER ALL, SHE'S GOT SOMEONE TO GIVE HER THE PUSH SHE NEEDS.

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#28: We're Making This Look Like the Final Chapter, But the Series is Still Going to Continue, Okay?

SHOOOOOP
Tick
Tock
CHIRP
CHIRP
CHIRP
PHOTOSYNTHESIS IS WHERE IT'S AT!
THE ONLY THING TO DO AT A TIME LIKE THIS IS SUNBATHE IN A BIT OF MORNING SUN AND RECHARGE MY ENERGY.
YESTERDAY WAS REALLY EXHAUSTING WITH EVERY-THING THAT HAPPENED.
Soak
Soak
RATTLE
WAAAAH!!

OH, GOOD MORNING, YUI.

Y-YUUKI-KUN?!

Whew...

Soak

Soak

AREN'T YOU HERE A LITTLE EARLY TODAY...?!

WHY ARE YOU HERE SO EARLY, ANYWAY?

WHAT ARE YOU, A PLANT?

I'M USING PHOTOSYNTHESIS TO RECOVER FROM THE EXHAUSTION I ACCUMULATED YESTERDAY!

HUH?!

SHO

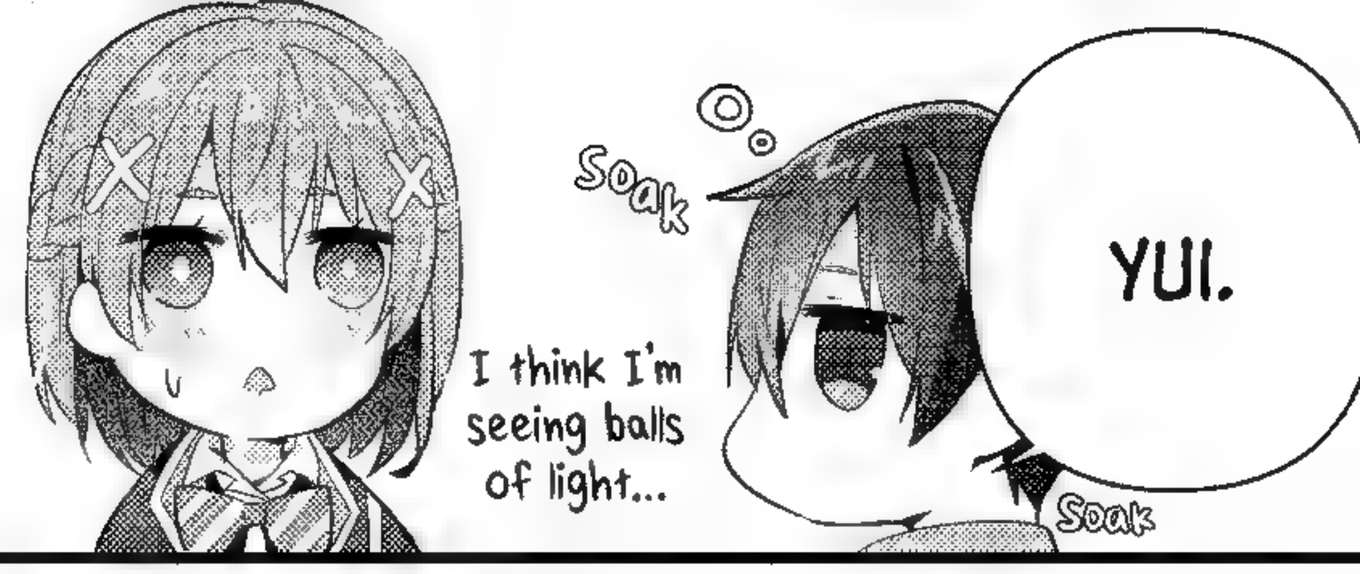
STARE

Converting the light he's collected into energy

SO MUCH HAPPENED WITH MINA-CHAN...

I... I CAN'T TELL HIM!

THAT I CAME HERE EARLY SO I COULD TAKE SOME TIME TO THINK ABOUT WHAT TO SAY!


YUI.
Soak
I think I'm seeing balls of light...
Soak

WHAT?! YOU'RE ATTACKING ME FIRST TODAY?!
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
Soak
Soak
Attacking first...?

THANKS FOR YESTERDAY.
Whoa.

EVER SINCE MOM DIED,
MINA STOPPED SMILING WITH ALL HER MIGHT.
...BUT.

...

YESTERDAY, WHEN THE THREE OF US WERE WALKING,

SHE SMILED JUST LIKE SHE USED TO.

I THINK IT'S ALL THANKS TO YOU, YUI.

WHAT?

IS THAT SOMETHING A TRUE HEROINE WOULD SAY ABOUT HERSELF?

UH...

COME ON, NO MATTER HOW YOU LOOK AT IT, I WAS BURSTING WITH HEROINE POWER YESTERDAY!

HUH?

WHERE'S ALL THIS TALK ABOUT ME BEING MADLY IN LOVE COMING FROM?

Soak

Soak

UM??

FORCED TO KEEP DANCING THIS CURSED WALTZ... THE POOR GIRL.

EVEN WHAT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT WAS ALL PART OF THE GAME FOR HER...

Soak...

RATTLE

DID YOU FALL HOPELESSLY IN LOVE WITH ME?!

Heh heh ♪

W-WELL? DID YOU FALL IN LOVE WITH ME YET??

Light Power

WHAT'S WRONG, YUUKI-KUN?

HEY, WHAT ARE YOU...?!

SHOOOP

Charging light power.

AT THIS POINT...

I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO KINDLY EMBRACE HER.

OOH?

HUG

WAAAAAHHH!! YUUKI-KUN, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!

W—

EXORCISING YOU...

EXOR-CISING? WHAT?!

THINK OF WHERE WE ARE RIGHT NOW! WE'RE IN A CLASSROOM!!

NOT THAT THAT MATTERS! WE SHOULDN'T BE DOING THIS ANYWHERE!!

FWAAAHHHH!! (STRUGGLE VOICE)

Mash the B button to escape!!

Bunshun Incident*

*THIS IS A REFERENCE TO A TABLOID THAT COVERS ROMANTIC SCANDALS.

CHATTER
ワイ

CHATTER
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Soak

...

Soak

YOU SAID IT! I'LL HAVE YOU KNOW, I'M STILL A HIGH SCHOOL GIRL, SONNY!

MAKE ME YOUNG AGAIN!

(hack, wheeze)

SORRY, GRANNY YUI... I GUESS ALL THAT HARD WORK MADE YOU START TO FEEL OLD.

...I'M

JERK

WHAT?!

GLAD THAT MY SEAT WAS MOVED NEXT TO YOU.

THUMP

YUUKI-KUN...

YOU MEAN...?

SITTING NEXT TO THE WINDOW LETS ME USE PHOTOSYNTHESIS, AFTER ALL.

THAT'S YOUR REASON?!

Give me back my butterflies!

#29: The Men with Sooty Backs

DING

YO, PARTNER! WE'VE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU!

WHAT IS THIS PLACE ...?

HURRY UP AND SIT DOWN, NARITO-KUN!

Don't sweat the small stuff!!

IT'S JUST HERE, OKAY?!

WHY IS THERE A MAHJONG SET IN OUR SCHOOL?

NOW, WE SHALL HEREBY BEGIN THE SEATMATE KILLER VICTIM ALLIANCE★ "UNDERGROUND MAHJONG TOURNAMENT"!

Pwump...

What-ever...

AHEM.

UNDERGROUND MAHJONG TOURNAMENT?!

BA-DUM

EVEN THOUGH SHE ALREADY REJECTED YOU??

She isn't even here.

BESIDES, IF ONE OF US GETS GOOD AT MAHJONG, TAKATSUKI MAY START TO LIKE THAT PERSON AGAIN! ♡

SO THAT THE SEATMATE KILLER VICTIMS CAN GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER!

WHY ARE WE PLAYING MAHJONG ALL OF A SUDDEN?

NOW THEN.

THEY LOOK SUPER DEPRESSED...

...!!

WHAT'S THE DOLL FOR?

STRIP IT?!

WE'RE GOING TO STRIP IT.

MAYBE IT'S JUST ME, BUT THIS KIND OF REMINDS ME OF–

UM... WE'RE IN THE 2020S, RIGHT?

Urban legend ...?

TODAY, WE'RE GONNA PROVE THAT THIS URBAN LEGEND IS THE REAL THING!

FMA

HE WHO STRIPS THE DOLL FIRST WILL BE ABLE TO CLAIM THE OBJECT OF HIS DESIRE!

IF THREE MEN PLAY UNDERGROUND STRIP MAHJONG WITH A PUPPET,

I'VE MOVED ON TO *MIYORIN!*

HEH... UNLIKE HAYAMI-KUN,

YOU BETCHA! I CAN'T EVEN SLEEP WITH MY FEET FACING THE DIRECTION OF HER HOUSE ANYMORE!

YOU REALLY FELL THAT HARD FOR HER?

Waaaah.

Miyorin the Idol (Boys School Uniform Version)

WHAT DOES THAT HAVE TO DO WITH ANYTHING?

...!!

TWITCH

ISN'T SHE JUST THE SECOND-PLAYER COLOR VERSION OF TAKATSUKI?

THIS IDOL...

Hmmm...

Lemme see.

YOU'RE WRONG...!!

NO...

HE'S GOT IT BAD...

THUD

KLAK...

KLAK...

EAST: KEN-SON 25000
SOUTH: YUUKI 25000
WEST: KEITAROU 25000

EAST 1

Hm? WHAT'S THE MATTER, HAYAMI-KUN?

HMMM.

WHY ARE WE DRESSED LIKE THIS...?

SUDDENLY I'M FEELING VERY CONFIDENT ABOUT WINNING... HEH HEH HEH.

WAIT, IS THIS YOUR FIRST TIME PLAYING THREE-PLAYER MAHJONG?

Stop treating me like a beginner!

WHAT?! I KNOW HOW TO PLAY FOUR-PLAYER MAHJONG!

YOU CAN REMOVE NORTH TILES FROM YOUR HAND AND USE THEM AS BONUS TILES.

WHAT DO YOU DO WITH THE NORTH TILES IN THREE-PLAYER MAHJONG?

OOH! THANKS, KEN-SON! ♡

I'VE NEVER PLAYED MAHJONG BEFORE.

I JUST ENDED UP COMING HERE BECAUSE THEY INVITED ME, BUT...

SUPER BEGINNER

YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO COLLECT TILES FROM THE SAME SUIT, OR LINE UP THE NUMBERS IN ORDER, RIGHT?

All the tiles look different...

I'VE ONLY EVER SEEN MAHJONG IN MANGA.

WHAAAT?!

TA-DA

Pinfu-tsumo-ittsu!

THANK YOU VERY MUCH, EVERYONE. THAT'LL BE 3900.

Tsumo

UNDER-GROUND TSUMO! I'M OUT!

I'M GOOD AT BEING THE FIRST DEALER.

HEH HEH...

Hmph...

KEN-SON, YOU SON OF A...!!

RATTLE

NO...

STOP!!

FWISH

JUST SIT BACK...

AND WATCH THE PRO GO TO WORK.

あああAAAあAHあHあH

DON'T SULLY *MY* TAKAT-SUKIIII!!

THAT "MY" WAS REALLY LOUD...

She isn't yours!

あっ

GRIN

HEH HEH HEH...

ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THIS??

TAKA... MIYORIN!

?!

KISS☆

KISS★

YUI... ERR, I MEAN, MIYORIN LOVES YOUUU!! (SUPER FALSETTO)

MMM... YES, I'M SURE ABOUT IT, KEN-SON-KUN! (FALSETTO)

HE'S DOING BOTH VOICES BY HIMSELF?!

Heh heh...

chu☆

GROSS!

LURCH

NOW, PREPARE YOURSELF!

SLIP...

...

WELL, HAYAMI-KUN? *JEALOUS, AREN'T YOU?! GREEN WITH ENVY, AREN'T YOU?!*

Heh heh heh...

Heh heh heh...

GRRR... I'M SO JEALOUS!!

WHAT SHOULD I DO? I CAN'T KEEP UP WITH THESE GUYS...

Yuuki

I wanna do that to Takatsuki too! And a bunch of other stuff!

HMM.

EAST 1 BONUS 1
EAST: KEN-SON 32800
SOUTH: YUUKI 21100
WEST: KEITAROU 21100

I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO THROW AWAY.

NOW THAT I'VE LINED UP SOME TILES WITH NUMBERS IN THE SAME SUIT...

This one's got a different pattern on it... I'll throw it away.

UNDERGROUND "PLEASE EXCUSE ME!"*

EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE A DOLL, I STILL DON'T THINK I CAN SAVE YOU...

SORRY YUI, BUT I'M A BEGINNER.

C'mon you can try harder than that!!

Whaaat?!

forgive me.

*"PLEASE EXCUSE ME" IS THE CATCHPHRASE OF A CHARACTER FROM THE FAMOUS MAHJONG MANGA MUKOUBEUCHI.

Tanyao, 3 dora!

8300!

Fwoomp

北 ×2

HAS YOUR ART STYLE CHANGED?

Red × 1 North × 2

Agh...

MY HEART... HURTS!

GGH... I CAN'T!

Now what...

I CAN'T DO THIS AFTER ALL! I JUST CAN'T...

WHAT IS HE FIGHTING AGAINST...?

HEH HEH HEH... DIFFICULT, ISN'T IT, HAYAMI-KUN? YOU MAY NEVER GET AN ACTUAL CHANCE, AFTER ALL...

WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL? JUST TAKE SOMETHING OFF HER.

It's just a doll...

GRAAA-AAHHH!!

HAA... HAA...!

GGH...!

YOINK!

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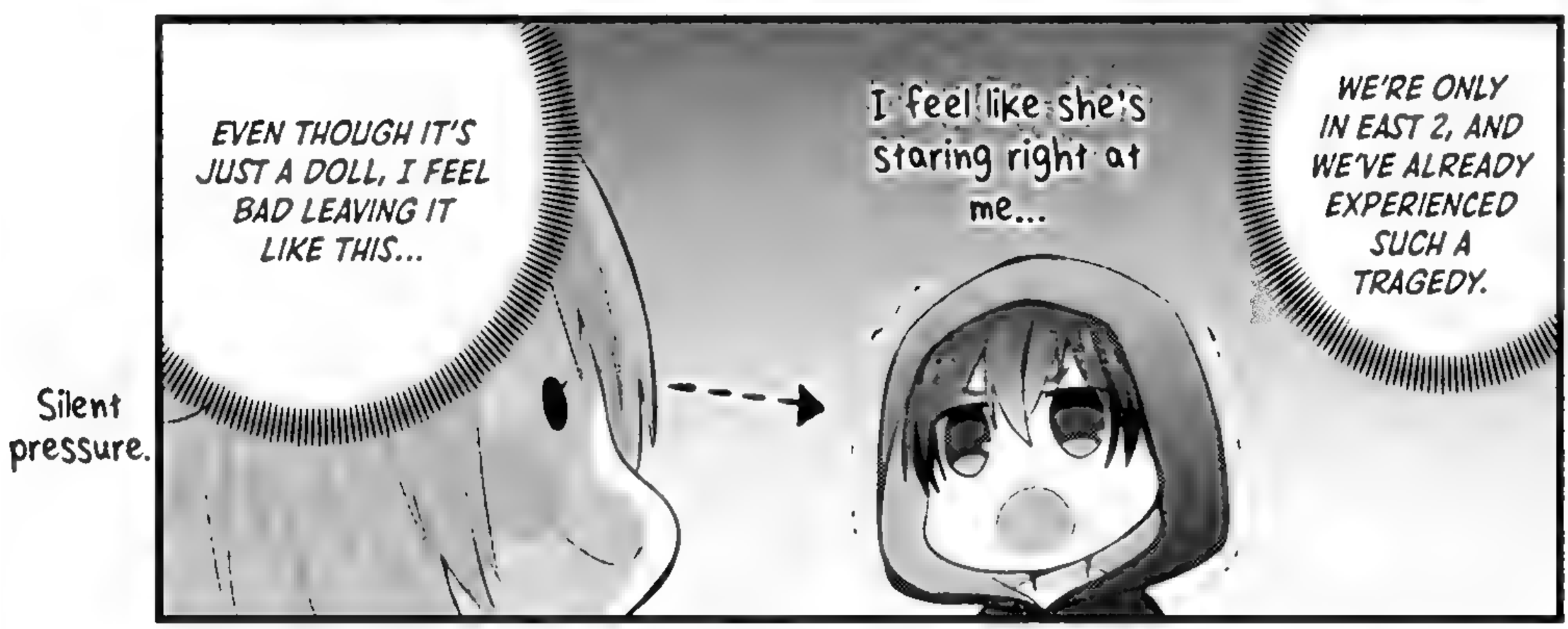
HUH? BUT... I MEAN, COME ON!
YOU DID ALL THAT HEMMING AND HAWING, AND *THAT'S* WHAT YOU GRAB?!

PUSH HIM FAR ENOUGH, AND HE MIGHT KILL SOMEONE WITH A SMILE ON HIS FACE...
He might pull out her eyeballs next...
MAYBE THERE'S ACTUALLY SOMETHING WRONG WITH HAYAMI-KUN...
HEY!!
Whisper
Whisper

SO I DECIDED TO CLAIM HER HEAD!!
YEAH, I JUST DIDN'T KNOW WHAT TO TAKE OFF...
HEKE!
YOU'RE INTO THE FREAKY STUFF?!

VWOOM
WHY ARE WE GETTING A CLOSE-UP OF THIS?!
EAST 2
WEST: KEN-SON 32800
EAST: YUUKI 12800
SOUTH: KEITAROU 29400


EVEN THOUGH IT'S JUST A DOLL, I FEEL BAD LEAVING IT LIKE THIS...
I feel like she's staring right at me...
WE'RE ONLY IN EAST 2, AND WE'VE ALREADY EXPERIENCED SUCH A TRAGEDY.
Silent pressure.

I THINK I...DID IT?
!!
Ooh.
THAT WOULD BE EASY FOR A BEGINNER TO PULL OFF...?
ISN'T THERE SOME WAY TO WIN...
THINK
THINK

GYAAAAHHH!!!!!
ALL SYSTEMS GREEN.
Four Concealed Triplets, Single-Wait, All Green Triple Limit Value Hand!!!

EAST 2
WEST: KEN-SON 32800 - 48000 = NEGATIVE
EAST: YUUKI 12800 + 96000 = 108800
SOUTH: KEITAROU 29400 - 48000 = NEGATIVE

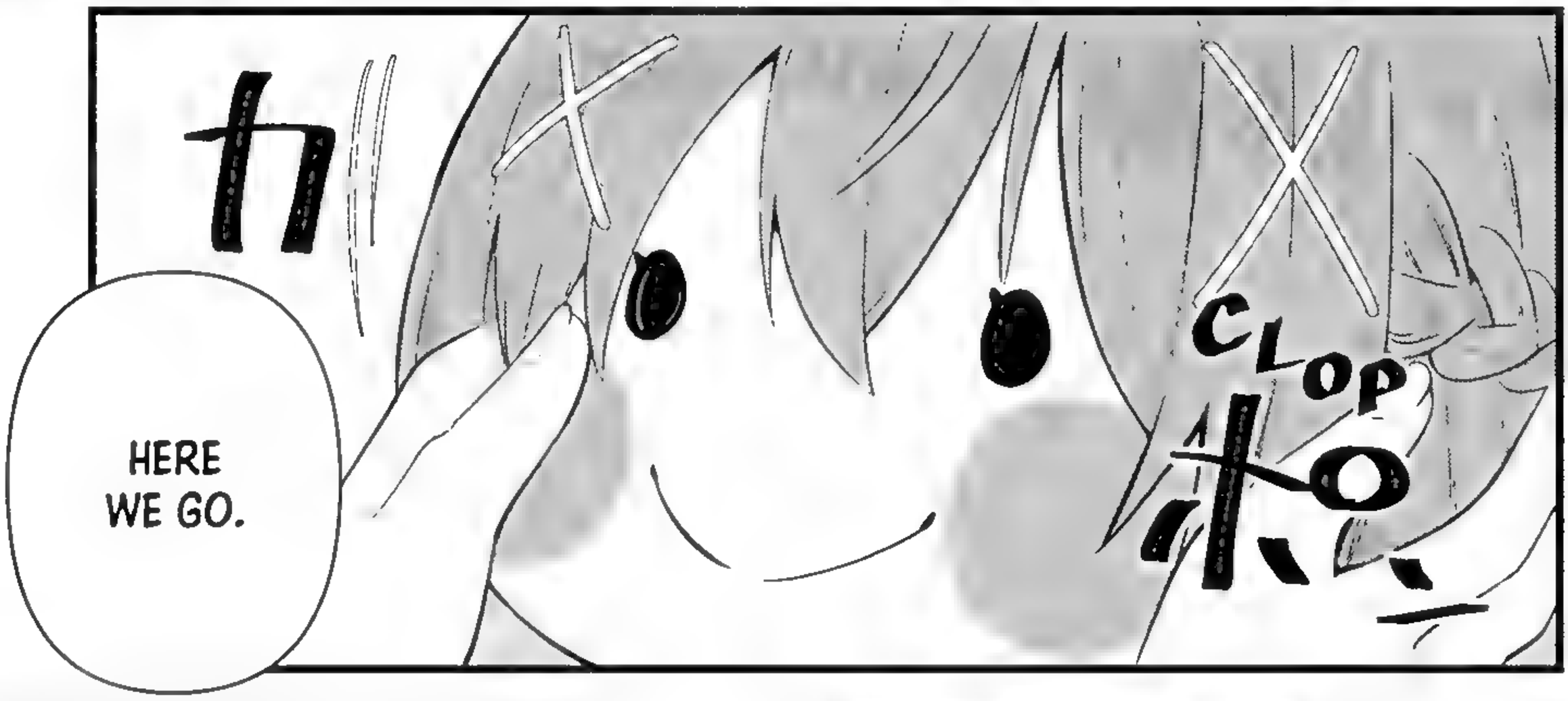
SHOCK

WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU TWO?

Flowers of unluckiness*

HUH?

*THIS IS A REFERENCE TO THE MANGA *SUPER ZUGAN*, WHERE FLOWERS OF UNLUCKINESS SPROUT WHEN THE MAIN CHARACTER LOSES.



RATTLE
ガタッ☆

?!

R... RIO HANASHIRO ...?!

UH... ER...

...

...SHE'S ALSO ONE OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRLS IN THE SCHOOL!

SOMEONE WHO WAS A MEMBER OF THE STUDENT DISCIPLINE BOARD UNTIL LAST YEAR!

WHO'S THAT?

?

whisper whisper

Sorry...

LOUD, EXCITED VOICES ECHOING THROUGH THE HALL...

SO I JUST COULDN'T IGNORE WHAT I WAS HEARING.

I WAS A MEMBER OF THE STUDENT DISCIPLINE BOARD UNTIL LAST YEAR...

...CORRECT.

AND!

GLARE

ARE YOU YUUKI NARITO?

HUH?

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